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■The Saga of the Editors:

a cold.

1986, so I've been told, is the Chinese Year of the Jetsetter. And according to the Cosmopolitan horoscope for the year, anyone associated with Woroni shall be smitten with plague. Some editors have already combined the two. So the usual mad panic that accompanies the first deadline has been amplified a squillionfold by the following problems - . Editor One: whereabouts unknown

presumably Hong Kong. Editor Two: somewhere on the

South Coast. Editor Three: in England with

about a trip to Queanbeyan with the chance of catching the Black Plague or Lurgi. We reckon we've done a pretty good job on the first issue, but we need YOU to make it better. Complacency is no excuse. In other words, put up or shut up. Write those articles. Write those replies. Say something nice. Or nasty. Write, write, write, draw, draw, draw, cartoon, cartoon, cartoon. Get into it.

Otherwise, sit back, relax and enjoy

Editor Four: recovering from a

Editor Five: in Sydney at a

Editor Six: just back from India

Editors Seven and Eight: working

Despite this, no-one's dead yet. Editors Seven and Eight are thinking

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on a case of hypertension and overwork

brought on by too much layout.

very large birthday party.

grandmother's funeral.

Everlovingly,

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SPEAKS



PRESIDENT'S REPORT

We'll teach you to drink deep ere you depart.' (Hamlet)

Hi, welcome to ANU for 1986. The summer break went so quickly that its hard to believe that we are just about to commence the academic year. While new students were preparing for 1986 and the returning students earning extra money or an extended holiday; a few devoted students kept things running smoothly in the Students.' Association. The Counter Course Handbook

and O-Week Handbook are both ready to be consumed, and I would like to thank all those involved for their efforts in what I believe are the most informative and creative publications the Students,' Association has produced. In addition, the O-Week Directors have been working full-time in preparing a whizz-bang of an O-Week programme for all students to enjoy and be part of.

# New Administration Secretary

Yes, it's sad but true. Di Riddell has resigned from her job as S.A. Admin. Secretary to go and work in the Arts Centre. We will all certainly miss you, Di, and in wishing you a fond farewell I express the view of all students who have known and worked with you. All the best for the future Di, and don't forget to drop into the SA - OK? Jane Connors has, in the interim of finding a personal replacement, done you, Jane.

The new Administration Secretary is Lorna Anderson, formally from the Centre for Continuing Education and more recently you may have seen her at the Student Employment Office. Lorna's experience and warm, friendly nature will, I'm sure, allow for easy transition into the hurley burley activities of the Students' Association. So don't hesitate to call into the office (upstairs Union Building - right next to the bar) and make Lorna feel at



There were a number of conferences over the summer, of which I

1). Asian Students Association International Workshop/Conference on 'Enhancing Student and Youth Participation in South-South East Asia." Held in Adelaide Jan 16-20. This conference was exceptionally good, useful in discussing ideas and developing links with a number of overseas student organisations. For more details watch out for released conference papers in he next Woroni.

2). NSWEAN - Bi-Annual General

holds great promise to organise effective and participate. action on the education front. ANU plays a significant role in being the luck in your studies. 1986 will be an closest campus to the centre of govern- 'active' year so be prepared to join in ment, and through NSWEAN we can the various Student's Association actions put forward a united student voice on and activities. Have a pleasant O-Week. any issue, whether it be fees, privatis--a wonderful job for the SA - thank ation, visa charges, TEAS, education cutbacks, ... the list goes on.

### Those Who Didn't Help: -Cliff Smith

-Andre the Giant

Woroni Editors:

-Kate Andrews -Tanya Bubela

> -Sandra McDougall -Rebecca Weisser

-Kean Wong

-David Morris -Fabian Sack

-Richard Batten

LAYOUT ASSISTANCE -Gerard Wheeler

-Peter Phelos -Mick the Barbarian

-Tiina Ropponen -Women on Campus

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SUBMISSIONS: Nothing racist, sexist or defamatory will be printed. The chances of something being printed will be severely jeopardised if it makes an editor throw up.

Dear Editors:

While you were out of the office (I think you were in the bar) i had a look at some of the pages of woroni that were in the process of being laid out.

While reading the 'Random Cooking' article, I noticed that you left out an essential ingredient from the 'mushy macaroni' sish - namely the mushies.

Is this because you don't know where to get (magic) mushies? I don't know where to get them either, can one of your readers help you and I out?

**PSILOCYBE** 

Dear Ed & Friends:

I am amaaaaazed, The Union Management has yet again re-defined the lower bounds of human intelligence whilst still being able to go to the toilet at regular intervals. What rationale is there behind

kicking out punks (whose money is, as good as anyone elses) in an attempt to attract Hall and College heads? The Halls have their own bars (making the distance to stagger that much smaller) and the reputation of the uni bar will be passed by word-ofmouth to the first years that it is now meant to be attracting. The uni bar will go flat broke by maintaining this ridiculous policy of turning away its proven paying customers.

> Yours with a big sigh, Dr. Feelgood.

Free Bus Service

Starting on March 3rd, a free afterhours (6.30 - 11.00pm) bus service will be available to students. The route will include the libraries, Halls and Colleges, Union and Civic. Check out Woroni and posters for timetable details. The first Students.' Association

General Meeting (of which there are ANU is affiliated to the state-wide six during the year) is on 19th March, organisation - NSW Education Action in the Union Bistro. We urge all under-Network (NSWEAN). Three ANU graduate students to attend general students went to the meeting in Sydney meetings to help and contribute to policy to discuss future plans and directions. and major decisions of the Students' With more campuses joining the relatively Association. Remember - this is your young (2 years) NSWEAN, the future organisation and it's your right to attend

To finish off, may I add best of

Neil McFarlane

Dear Eds.,

A Parting Shot from Prof. Leo.

I can't stand it! How dare they do what they are doing to the Bar? That august institution, for so long a bastion of disrespectability, a stalwart defender of the rights of scruffs and vagabonds to be scruffs and vagabonds, is being slowly but surely turned into

(Dramtic Pause) a NICE PLACE! I hypothesize that this is all part of a Liberal Society plot to make the whole university more like the real world, by promoting prejudice, discrimination and intolerance. Well, I won't be part of it! I'm off to Melbourne in search of sleaze. And if you're all very lucky, I might bring some with me when I next

return to Canberra. Vive la Grot! Signed, Prof. Leo.

Dear Editors,

What is happening in the Union? I have heard that the Union Board has cancelled its show on 2XX and that 2XX will now move their concerts to a new venue.

The Union show on 2XX cost \$4000 a year, which provided information and fine advertisement on whats going on in the Union, With the axing of the show, I'm not surprised that 2XX no longer wants to have anything to do with the Union.

The net result is that students. will miss out on the excellent 2XX concerts that provided student discounts to entertainment and not to mention a vast sum of money in bar takings.

The Union probably thinks it can run it's own concerts, but why not use the already established community accessible, and successful 2XX to run concerts? Surely the \$4000 per year is not such a high price to pay when considering the huge benefits the Union receives from 2XX.

> Yours in considerable angst, A worried concert-going student.

Dear Editors,

Did you have a nice holiday? Someone said that they're going to put carpet in the bar . . . if they do I will do sick on it.

> A Student Who Likes The Bar As It Is.

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### What is Your S.A.?

The S.A. is your representative Student Organisation on campus. The S.A. is funded from your General Services Fee so it's in your interests to participate.

Your S.A.-

- publishes WORONI, the Counter Course Handbook

- organises O-Week, Market Day.

sponsors clubs and societies
 organises and runs campaigns on a number of issues e.g. fees, apartheid, assessment, sexual harassment.

# Why Get Involved?

The S.A. needs your support to be an effective student body.

To find out what's happening

It's a good opportunity to develop useful skills e.g. meetings procedure, poster making, leaflet writing ... and so on. To clarify your ideas on student unionism

# How can I get involved in

Clubs and Societies – the SA provides funds for a diverse range of student clubs and societies. If none are to your liking, consider forming one of your own. Forms are available from the SA Office.

Education Collective — this is a group of students who meet regularly to discuss and act on education issues. It meets in SA Office every Tuesday at 10m.

Woroni — This is the SA's official publication. As an SA member you are entitled and encouraged to contribute.

Attend General Meetings — these are held every second Wednesday of the academic month. They are open to all. These meetings are your chance to discuss SA activities, to support, draft, or move motions.

Susanna

23 February 4 pm

24 February 6 pm

25 February 6 pm

Thursday 27 February 7.30 pm \$14.00

Saturday 1 March 7.30 pm \$16.00

Wednesday 26 February 6 pm

22 February 7.30 pm \$14.00

28 February 7.30 pm \$14.00



The Student's Association wishes to apologize for comments made in the 1986 Orientation Handbook about the Co-op Bookshop. The Association recognizes and commends the Co-ops pricing policy, as follows: The Co-op undertakes not to sell any book at more than the Publisher's recommended retail price. The discounts which are received by members are therefore genuine discounts.'

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Further, we acknowledge that we presented an inaccurate and misleading description of the membership and organization of the Co-op. The Students Association appreciates the services offered by the Co-op to students at ANU, particularly through its commitment to providing all text books for all courses.

The Students' Association also wishes to clarify a point made on page 61. The intimation intended was nothing more than a reference to people involved in the Middle East funding their war through the sale of marijuana. It was not intended to apply to any Zionists in Australia.

The advertisement for Paddy Pallin appearing on page 91 of the O-Week handbook should have announced that Paddy Pallin's will be situated at 11 Lonsdale St., Braddon as from the 1st of April.

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# NOMINATIONS

Nominations are called for the following positions of the ANU Students' Association:

Chair Clubs and Societies Committee

Chair Education Committee
Chair Welfare Committee

Clubs and Societies Committee Members (3 positions)

Education Committee: Members (5 positions)
Welfare Committee: Members (4 positions)
Finance Committee: Member (1 position)
SA Rep on Faculty of Science (1 position)
SA Rep on Faculty of Law (1 position)
SA Rep on Faculty of Economics and

Commerce (1 position)
SA Rep on Faculty of Asian Studies

(1 position)
SA Rep on Canberra Programme for Peace

Committee (1 position)

Anti<sub>2</sub>Racist Delegate (1 position: this person

will aid the Director of Student
Publications in implementing the pub-

lications regulations of the Students'
Association).
Returning Officer
Elections for these positions will be held at

the General Meeting of the Students' Association on Wednesday March 19, 6.30pm in the Bistro.

Nominations must be handed to the Secretary,

Students' Association Office, by 12 noon on Wednesday 19th March, 1985.

Candidates for these positions must be ordinary members of the Students' Association. Furthermore, candidates for the first three positions (Chairs of Education, Welfare and Clubs & Societies Committees) must be members of the SRC.

Nominations must be signed by two ordinary members of the Association and must include a signed statement of the nominee's acceptance of the nomination and willingness to act in the position if elected.

No candidate may nominate (or second the nomination of) herself or himself.

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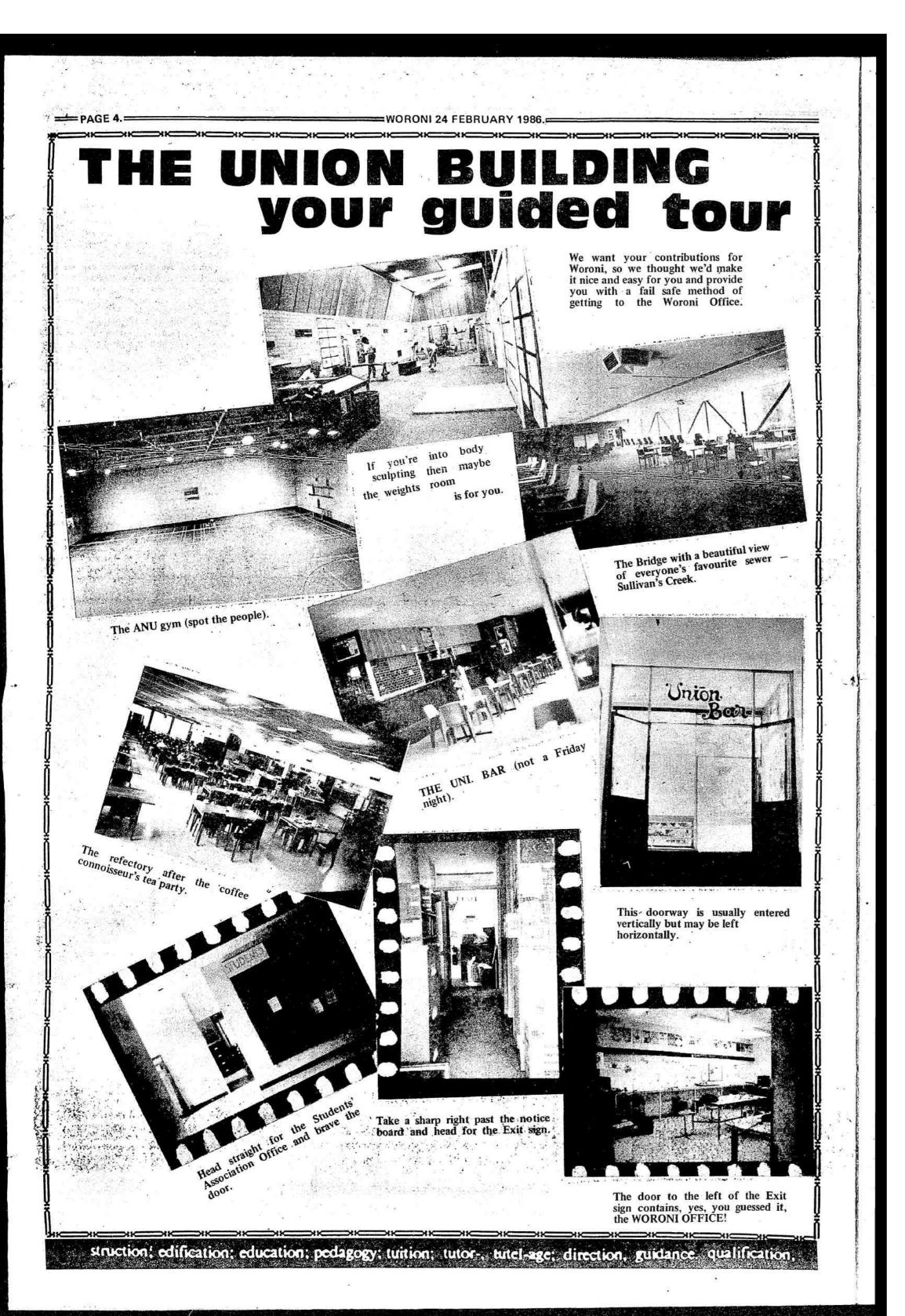
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AIESEC. Speaker, Wed. 2pm, H/A G24.

ALP Students Club. Speaker, Fri. 1pm, Copland Lecture Theatre.

Catholic Youth Ministry. Introduction, Wed. 2.30pm, H/A G25.

Classics Society. Information Table, Mon-Fri., 10am, AD Hope Building.

Conservative Study Group. Speakers, Thurs. 12 noon, H/A Tank.

Education Collective. Tues. 1pm H/A G26.

Evangelical Union. Prayer Meeting, Mon-Fri. 9am, Chaplain's Office. Meeting, Tues. 1pm, Sailing March.

Socialist Action Thurs. 12 no.

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Fabian Society. Fri. 2.30pm., Union Board Room.

Film Group, Films, Mon-Fri 7.30pm, Coombs Lecture

Forestry Students Society. BBQ, Fri. 12.30pm

Gays On Campus. Wed. 6pm, Music Room, the Union.

History Students' Co-op. Intro., Wed. 3pm. Get Together, Thurs 3pm, Geoffrey Fairbairn Room,

Liberal Club. Drinks and Speaker, Wed. 6.30pm, Knotholes Bar.

Left Group. Speaker, Wed. 6pm.

Board Room.

Canberra Baptist Church.

Film, Tues 6pm, H/A G27.

Knotholes Bar.

Parents on Campus. Wine and Cheese, Fri. 6pm, 22 Balmain Lane.

Phillipines Action Support Group. Wed. 2pm, H/A G24.

litics Society, Tues, 1pm, Union Board Room.

Prisoners Action Group. Speakers, Wed. 3pm, The Bridge. Get Together, Thurs. 12.30pm, Law School Common Room. Discussion Thurs. 4pm, Knotholes Bar.

Resistance. Meeting and Film, Wed. 3pm, Fri. 12 noon, H/A G27.

Rugby Club, Bush Dance, Wed. March 5, 7pm, Yarralumla Woolshed.

Rural Students Federation. Meeting, Thurs. 1pm, H/A G24.

Club. Open Day., Sun. March 2nd, 1.15pm.

Socialist Action Group. Speakers,

Sri Chinnoy Music Group. Meditation, Fri. 4pm,

Student Peace Group. Speaker, Thurs. 3pm, H/A Tank.

Students Against Apartheid. Speakers, Thurs. 1pm, Union Court. Discussion, Thurs. 5pm, Knotholes Bar.

Students Against Regulated Airlines. Fri 1pm., Union Board Room.

Students for Christ. Tracting and Bookstall. Mon-Fri., 10am, Union Court.

Trade Union Rights Committee. Speaker, Thurs. 2pm, H/A G24.

Women in Maths. Breakfast, Wed. 9.30am, Lawn near Hanna Neumann Building.

Women in Science. Lunch, Thurs. 12.30pm, AD Hope Building, G19.

Women on Campus. Women's Picnic, 12 noon, Lawn Behind Arts Centre.

Thurs. 12 noon, H/A G26. PRESENTS

(Bill Hartley, Brian Gore and Wilson Navigators. Tues. 12 noon. Union Tuckey) and meetings will inform you, and the evenings (the Sunglasses Party, Overseas Christian Fellowship the Go-Betweens, the Lighthouse Keepers Meeting, Fri. 7.30pm, North and the Food Wine and Beer Festival, will entertain you. Most importantly, Palestine Human Rights Campaign if you don't turn up, O'Week won't succeed. So have a good time! Kendall Odgers and Sandy Ross PAMS. Thurs. 12 noon, 7pm,

O'Week Directors

O'Week this year provides no

excuses for non-participation! It's

the most important social and intellectual

week of the year, so don't miss the

chance to get to know your uni and

your fellow students. The debate on Monday ('that university is a waste of

time') will amuse you, the speakers

THE AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL UNIVERSITY SPORTS UNION

1986 SPORTS COUNCIL ELECTIONS

18th, 19th &20th MARCH, 1986

Nominations are hereby invited for the following positions on Sports Council:

PRESIDENT VICE PRESIDENT TREASURER **COUNCIL MEMBERS (6)** 

Nominations open on Monday 24th February, 1986, and should be submitted to the Sports Union Office by -

4.00pm WEDNESDAY 6TH MARCH 1986

Nomination forms and further details are available from the Sports Union Office. 1st Floor, Sports Union Building.

# PARENTS!

Did your kids garotte the cat this morning? Did you feel like doing the same to them? If you're also trying to study, have a job or ypu're single, you may be a frazzled mum or dad. Don't fret! After all, you're keeping very good company.

Now, there's the PARENTS' LUNCH CLUB - a lunchtime group that may save

We'll meet fortnightly during first term and there will be a number of topics covered - from coping with kids to fixing fuses - with the guidance of a few

Our first meeting will be held on Wednesday, 12 March, from 12.30 to 2.00pm, in the Conference Room, Counselling Centre (above the Health Centre on North Road). Bring your sandwiches, etc. - tea and coffee will be available.

Enquiries to: Janis Shaw, Counselling Centre, 49-3661.

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# PART 2

For the uninitiated the ANU library is a collection of rather badly designed buildings scattered all over the campus. Towards the beginning and the end of each academic year when the days are warm, the library buildings are at their worst. Their airconditioning systems are unable to cope with the scores of sweaty bodies passing in and out. As a result they turn into oversized Turkish baths, places in which only those who enjoy tropical temperatures can remain for any length of time.

In winter the library buildings become more like morgues. The Chifley in partiular has a soporific effect on its readers. In mid-afternoon on a weekday in term time it is not unusual to see two out of three library users asleep, slumped in easy chairs or study carrells, dead to the world. Health Service doctors have been known to prescribe long stints . in the Chifley library as a cure for

The libraries have some rather peculiar inhabitants. Firstly, there are



# **PART**

For six years I have been waging an unequal battle with the ANU library, firstly as a student and now as a research assistant. I am now convinced of the existence. of some supernatural force, a mischievous poltergeist perhaps, intent on frustrating my efforts.

In the good old days it was possible to find the book or journal that you wanted. Then about a year ago some genius had the idea of rearranging things, At great expense to the university tens of thousands of books were ferried around in an effort to provide a more rational allocation of subject classifications between libraries. The move has proved to be an abject failure. There seems to be little rhyme or reason governing the location of books of different subjects. Much energy is expended walking between libraries in efforts to find elusive books.

The other day I needed a book on Tasmanian history so, knowing that all works of Australian history are housed in Chifley, I went there. To my astonishment, on consulting the catalogue, I found that my book was in Menzies. The readers' advisor informed me that, while works about mainland Australia are indeed in Chifley, Tasmanian books are, together with books about New Zealand, held in Menzies. Logical? I didn't think so.

And is it not always the case that the one issue of a journal that you want to read is missing? One hot afternoon after a string of book hunting failures I looked up the number of an obscure but well established American journal. Of the forty-five volumes of the journal held by the library, only volume 38 was missing, the very one that had the article in that I wanted. It had been taken out by an academic who had disappeared for the long vacation without returning it. This is a typical experience.

Over a long period the ANU Library has been allowed to run down. It is understaffed, has a massive backlog of unclassified books, is open for fewer hours than it used to be and is operating on obsolete loans and cataloging systems.

The library has suffered severely from funding cuts imposed on higher education in recent year. If this situation is not improved students, staff and the university as a whole will begin to suffer.

The Library online catalogue (URICA) is now available. Most of the material in the card catalogue, the microfiche catalogue and all current cataloguing is now on the database - some 610,000 citations. East Asian script languages are not yet included.

URICA gives up-to-the-minute information on items held in the Library and also items on order. You can use URICA to find books, serials, government publications, newspapers, audiovisual material and microforms.

URICA terminals are in all Library buildings. The online catalogue is easy to use - simply follow the directions on the screen - or ask a readers' adviser to help you.

You can sign up for URICA tutorials at the readers' advisers desk in the Chifley, Hancock or Menzies Buildings. Watch the notice boards for

There is also a 'megafiche' containing author, title and series entries as a backup for the online catalogue.

\*Some older records contain inaccuracies which will be gradually rectified.

# McIntosh Laboratory

The Chifley Building now has a microcomputer laboratory in the Short Loan area containing 11 McIntosh micros and 3 printers. These micros can be reserved for individual or class use at the Short Loan desk. Software instruction packages are held in the Short Loan area and some lecturers are already lodging software for coursework. McIntosh disks can be purchased from ANUTECH at a favourable price. Further details from the Short Loan

the 'library recluses,' people instantly recognizable by their pallid complexion. inators: people who are never seen in They are found mainly in the more the library until just before the end of remote corners of the Chifley and each academic year. They are robust, Menzies and they rarely leave the sporty types who look distinctly ill confines of their chosen library. The Law at ease in the subdued setting of the

Library is full of them. Approach a. library recluse with caution because, weight of overdue essays and impending although relatively harmless, they tend exams has finally driven them into the

gads.' They treat libraries as a good of books next to them and panicked place for a chin wag. They hand around looks on their faces. the tea rooms and journal sections looking for a familiar face. Although they usually carry pens and notebooks around with them they are very rarely seen using them. They have a nasty habit of invading your personal space. Library gads are noisy creatures who

Thirdly, there are the procrastlibrary. After seven long months of hedonism and being-in-life the mounting to take fright if spoken to by strangers. library. They can be seen on the higher Secondly, there are the 'library floors of the Chifley with huge stacks

> The best advice that can be offered to students is to spend as little time in libraries as possible, They are unpleasant, unhealthy and frustrating places. Far better to study at home.

# Reading Skills



The heading that our sub-editor had been induced to put in here is smarter than 'Speed Reading' which was the first choice. But 'Speed Reading' also raises a frown in the crew that run the various courses that are often given this description. Their focus is more on 'efficient reading.'

There are some great claims made at times: 10,000 words per minute seems to take the cake. That works out at 166 per second which seems pretty indigestible to anyone, let alone some academics with material that seems indigestible at any speed!



Put aside the super-claims and there remains a great body of satisfied clients of 'efficient reading' courses. A doubline of reading speed is the norm. The few exceptions from this level of increase arise either from people with serious reading difficulties or from people with high reading speeds at entry. On the other hand trebling and quadrupling of initial reading speeds is quite common with 1,000 words per minute being frequently achieved and the occasional world beater emerging with 2,000 plus.



But what about comprehension as the reading speed is increased in this fashion? This is where the sceptics are confounded.

Most of us, it seems, are brought

up on a word-by-word approach to reading. Whilst reading speed increases with experience the basic skills learned in early schooling are the ones that soldier on. What the efficient reading courses aim at is grabbing at whole phrases eye movements are essened; sub-vocalisation goes out; concepts rather than individual words are absorbed. Accordingly, the interesting result of training in efficient reading techniques is that both reading

speed and comprehension increases. The results that are claimed for reading speeds at the end of courses are reading speeds that are adjusted by the comprehension level that is calculated from tricky questions put at the end of each exercise.



Canberra has a resident Efficient Reading School that is a privately run venture entitled ACT Reading Centre which runs courses throughout the year. For the last four years the ANU has had the Evelyn Wood Reading Dynamics presenting courses in July each year. Both organisations claim similar results, although the Evelyn Wood organisation suggests better retention of high reading rates with its course over 20 hours as against the ACT Reading Centre's 15 hour course. The ACT Reading Centre does offer 'refresher' sessions, however, free of charge after the initial course.

On the question of charges the Evelyn Wood is up-market at \$425 per course (a student concession) compared to the ACT Reading Centre's student concession charge being \$90 for the

The TV advertising that announces the arrival of Evelyn Wood may account to some extent for its pricing. Despite the price its courses appear to have been well received. The ACT Reading Centre does not appear to suffer with respect to quality however, and the ANU Study Skills Unit reguiarly refers students to it and their feed-back is good.



has proved positive and they are recommended. It is a while until July when Evelyn Wood hits town. Meanwhile we do have some material relating to ACT Reading Centre's courses which is available to those interested. Next course starts on March 18, or a phone call to Diana Moser at 473606 may fill you out on any queries.

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# Interested in saving money?

Then get into the National Student Discount Scheme (NSDS).

The NSDS will save you money on everything from jeans, spectacles, tyres, cinemas and even the footy!

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discount schemes like Australia's. The ASIC on the other hand is available to all students, regardless of whether you are full-time or parttime. Depending on the policy of your campus union, it will cost anything up to \$2.00. Although you can't use it overseas, and its benefits in Australia are less than the ISIC, it will still save you money.

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cheap airfares and access to student

Remember to take a passport size photograph when you apply for either of these cards. If you are eligible for an ISIC, you've got to take some proof along, indicating that you are indeed a full-time student.

By now, you'll probably be asking yourself, why the heck do I have to buy a special card when I've already got a campus identity card? The answer is simple. Not all campuses issue I.D. cards, and they vary from campus to campus where they do exist. To pull the discounts together, we've had to make the card identification for the shopkeeper as simple and as standardised as possible. And that's why your campus I.D. card won't work for you!

This is the fourth year that the NSDS has been in operation. It is the successful result of a long hard effort by students to bring together all the discounts available to students.

The NSDS is a service of Students Services Australia (SSA) - a student owned non-profit organisation. Amongst the other services which we provide, we also publish the TEAS

guide, and the Australian Graduates Magazine. And in 1986, we'll be announcing the expansion of our Student Work Abroad Programme -(SWAP). SWAP helps you arrange

# ACTIVITIES UNION



Union Activities this year will be continuing the great traditions of past years, but as this tradition has always involved change and innovation there will be different and unfamiliar activities as well as bands, and everything else that seasoned students will be familiar

venue not just because of it's size, location and atmosphere but because of the nature of it's audience. The Union has consistently put on the sort of activities that other commercial venues wouldn't, and most of the time been successful with those acts because the sort of audience who want to hear intelligent music know that the Union is where they are most fikely to be able to. In the same way, bands know that at the Union they will attract a critically discerning who are interested in hearing more than just the same old sounds they hear everywhere else.

and Roll. The friendly atmosphere and interesting conversation that the Union Bar is famous for will intoxicate you as much as what you'll be drinking will. You will have such a good time that you'll almost certainly become a union bar regular. Union day is free for members.

Union day will culminate in our first, 'Rock in the Refectory Night' for 1986 with the Go-Betweens, who have been touring Australia after spending most of 1985 in Britain, They will be supported by local band, The Falling Joys. The Go-Betweens concert will be \$5 for students, \$6 and \$7 for everybody else.

On Wednesday 26th at 8pm Mara will perform in the Knotholes Bar. Mara play innovative interesting folk music with a wide variety of instruments. This is definitely a performance for those who believe that there is more to folk music than sheep.

The Union has a number of other acts lined up for first term and we will be telling you about them as soon as they are confirmed. A leaflet detailing coming events will be distributed every week in the halls and colleges and in the Union, pick one up and you will always know what's about to

In first term we hope to have classes in guitar, juggling and typing, more information will be available soon but these courses promise an



Students arriving in O-Week will miss out on the chance to hear Exploding White Mice who as one of Adelaide's currently most exciting bands are scheduled to be the first Rock Act for 1986, but don't worry because there'll be plenty more Rock, during the rest of the year.

of it's manifestations, Jazz and Rock

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opportunity to learn a non-academic skill, or in the case of typing, a skill which will be a useful adjunct to your

Tuesday in Orientation Week will be Union day. Most students don't need incentives to come to the bar, but if you are one, of the few who do we will be giving you plenty on Union day. There will be almost non-stop music all afternoon, folk, in a variety

Union activities are supposed to entertain students, consequently I who have any ideas about the sort of acts they would like to see. I would also be happy to hear from any students who perform music, or other acts who might be interested in playing at the Union.

> Malcolm Jackson Union Activities Officer

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by the magnificent Sven

# RANDOM COOKING

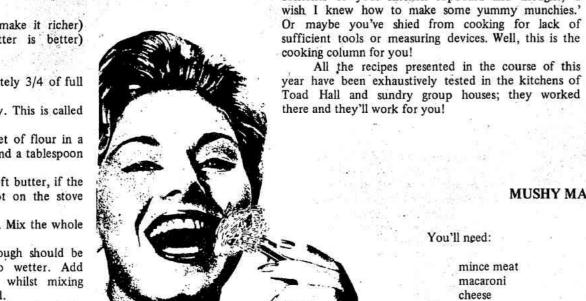
SCONES

-You'll need: self-raising flour

salt (optional) sugar (optional) eggs (optional - but they make it richer) butter or margarine (butter is better)

- \*1. Heat the oven to 375F, approximately 3/4 of full
- \*2. Rub some butter over an oven tray. This is called a greased tray.
- \*3. Put roughly a 1/3 of a 1kg packet of flour in a bowl and mix in a pinch of salt and a tablespoon
- \*4. Add to the bowl a large knob of soft butter, if the butter is hard soften it in a pot on the stove BUT don't melt it.
- \*5. Break an egg or two into the bowl. Mix the whole mess with a fork.
- \*6. This bit is IMPORTANT. The dough should be the consistency of blue-tac, no wetter. Add milk very slowly and carefully whilst mixing till the right consistency is achieved.
- \*7. Work the dough with your hands (kneading) for a minute or two.
- \*8. Wipe a bit of bench down, dry it and sprinkle a bit of flour over it. Roll the dough out flat with an empty milk bottle till its about 2cm thick.
- \*9. Cut out circles with an inverted egg cup or small glass and put them on the greased tray.
- \*10. Bung the tray in the oven and leave it for 20 min. NO peeking! After 20 min. have a look, if the scones are golden on top take one out. and see if it is cooked through. If it is, take the tray out, turn the oven off and serve with butter and/or jam.

It's easy really. To make the scones even more exciting add sugar and coco at stage \*3 or even grated cheese or grated carrots.



POLITICALLY ACTIVE POSTER

plain flour

curry powder (optional).

- green food colouring (optional)
- \*1. Mix flour with a bit of water until you get a smooth
- \*2. Dilute to the consistency of milk.
- \*3. Bring to the boil in a large cooking vessel (a wok
- \*4. Spread liberally on posters and eat the rest.

is alright).

MUSHY MACARONI

You'll need:

How often have you looked at the uninspiring contents of your kitchen cupboard and thought, I

mince meat macaroni cheese oil or butter

The more meat and cheese you use, the better it is. And you can add vegetables, spices, herbs - whatever you think will enhance the flavour

- \*1. Pour macaroni into a pot of boiling water, boil until cooked (15-20 minutes).
- \*2. Drain cooked macaroni.
- \*3. Fry mince meat in oil or butter until brown.
- \*4. Stick all ingredients into a greased baking dish. \*5. Bung it in a moderate oven until cheese melts
- through (15-20 mins.)
- \*6. Take it out of the oven and enjoy! \*7. Don't forget to turn the oven OFF.

A moderate oven is 1/2 the full heat. Make sure the oven is hot before you bung anything into it.

THE FOOD CO-OP?

The food co-op is the main activity of the ANU Nutrition Society. We aim to provide nutritious food to members at reasonable prices. We support, where possible, suppliers and products which avoid excessive processing, packaging and use of harmful additives.

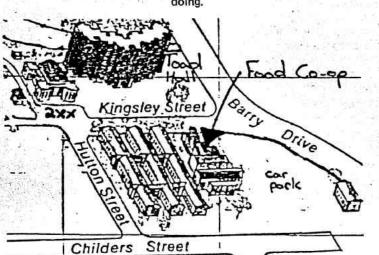
# HOW MUCH DOES IT COST?

Membership fees for 12 months are:

-\$32 for paid workers. -\$8 for unpaid workers, dole, TEAS, pensions, school students, etc. -\$20 for people who fall between

When you do an hours work, you should get a stamp on your card to say so. If you don't get a stamp within 6 months: of joining, you are no longer a member

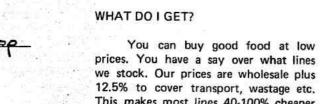
You can put your name on the work roster, or just do some when you come to shop, A co-ordinator will be there to help show you what needs



# WHAT DO I HAVE TO DO?

Joining the co-op means making an active commitment of time and energy. Each person who uses the co-op should expect to put in at least a couple of hours work every couple of months.

to actively participate. ually, or as a group of up to five people. Each person in the group must qualify. Each member has their own membership



This makes most lines 40-100% cheaper than 'health food' shops. The co-op is a good place to meet people, and shop and work together

People can join the co-op individ-

card, and must keep it active by working.

in a friendly atmosphere. We are open whenever a coordinator has volunteered. This is usually 10am-4pm Monday to Friday, and 10am-1pm on Saturdays.



boring jobs like this.'

WHO CAN JOIN?

-past members.

-students. No! The co-op differs from a -ANU staff.

shop in several ways: -social security beneficiaries (dole, -only members can buy at the pensions, etc.)

-every member works in the co-op, -people who are incredibly keen no-one is paid. -we aim to break even, not make a profit.

-everyone can be involved in running the co-op, and in decision making.

SO IT'S A CHEAP FOOD SHOP THEN?

**HOW IS IT ORGANISED?** 

We have regular meetings, open to all. These make all decisions about what to stock, opening hours, prices, etc.

Responsibilities in the co-op are organised into:

-orderers, who are responsible for ordering stock.

-accountants, who pay bills and keep books up to date. -co-ordinators, who co-ordinate

the day-to-day running. -everyone else, who are responsible for almost all the day-to-day work in

preachment, disquisition, exercise, task; curriculum; course, - of study; grammar, three R's, initiation,

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"If he isn't one, I'd like to know who is!"

Now, what does that prove?

These two children were a-boy and a rich. Just like you and me.

to United Feather, and for a while Mc- up again every Sunday. Cormick's mother called her Mapheteusis, Except one Sunday. Ah, yes, chilly now. which was her second name, and she mut- foreboding. Well, here's exactly what But that's not the way it was then, wonderful. tered dark things in the night.

However, and for all this, the two got thing could not happen - practically in the church (for this was before the seralong very well, because they were SO WELL BEHAVED. They were the best behaved children in their neighbourhood; perhaps in the whole city of Montreal, which is where they lived, I am sorry to say. Perhaps they were even the best behaved children that have ever existed anywhere in the entire history of the universe. As a matter of fact, I'm sure that they were. They were so well behavand always ed that they never fought, and always said please and no thank you, and never talked back, and always did EXACTLY what they were told, and had the best table manners you've ever heard of. Their

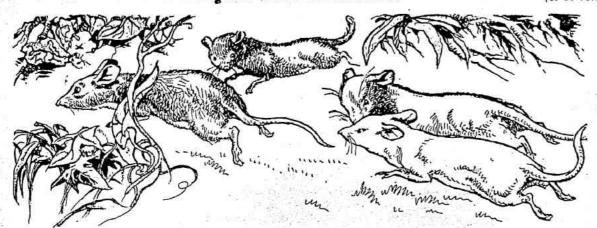
table manners used to embarrass everybody else, they were so good. Most people eating with them would simply stop. eating altogether, out of shame at being so sloppy, and just watch the two children eat. And besides all this, they always did their homework, and they loved school, and of all things, they went to church because they wanted to!

All this was due to their mother, who was very well bred, and to their father, to had enough money to allow his Now, this story concerns two young wife to maintain her high standard of children, who were very good. Note that I breeding. The father was not particularly say they were good - they are dead now. well-bred; I'd say he was about average-And despite the fact that they were so bred. But he had above average money, good, this is a really horrible story. and so that was alright. They lived in Westmount, which is almost not the It proves that no matter what you do, same thing as living in Montreal. For one if something horrible is going to happen thing, there are no Frogs there, just the to you, you can't get away. As a matter same as there are no Negroes either. There of fact something terrible IS going to is nobody there at all, in fact, except the happen to you. But never mind what, well-bred and the rich, in that order. And You'll see. This story is not about you - so by now you get the idea that all the but you're just lucky it's not, It could people in the story so far are very well- no-one walks the streets of Montreal vice was held in the vulgate, and so it

bred, and very well-behaved, and very any more, least of all children, not even was still worth something). And they on Easter Sunday, but this was before the, stepped out onto the rather astounding girl. The boy's name was Edweard, I mentioned a few steps back that Ed- days when the Frogs got out of hand, collection of stairs and terraces that are and his older sister's name was McCor- weard and McCormick liked going to and so it was still safe for decent folk in front of St. Joseph's Oratory. mick. She was named after a rich old church. Well, Montreal is a very good city to walk the streets. Yes. This was be- Just as Leonard Cohen said, also speaking uncle who used to come and visit some- to like going to church in, because they fore Montreal became a Citadel of Fear. of Montreal and churches, the sun was times. The uncle himself was named have quite a few churches there, and Now, I understand, although I refuse to pouring down like honey and it was stickafter a pepper bottle. She remember- they're all pretty big. The one that these go and find out for myself, there are ing to everything and running down and collapsing into a big chair, where he them all. There were a lot of Frogs there, notes and everything, and they kidnap time, and there it was, huge globs of runsat breathing heavily for an hour or two but they didn't mind because they did- you and kill you and blow you up just ny honey slathering down the very McCormick's mother would scoop her up n't have to sit with them. And so every as soon as look at you. And all for what? spires of the church itself, and running and deposit her on the uncle's lap, saying. Sunday, off they would go and do what- WHAT, I ASK? It's all just terrorism, like a globby river down all the astound-"And here is little McCormick, Uncle ever it is that people do in church, and the government ought to do ing stairs, sweeping before it all the McCormick, who we named after you. Their mother and father did not go be- something, but of course they don't and sinners, non-believers, Kikes, Frogs, Nigg-Isn't she getting to be a big girl?" And cause, they explained, they had been so it's just getting worse. Why, it's not ers, and other people who weren't any the uncle would maul her and wheeze. enough already when they were young, even safe to mail a letter, the mail box good, and leaving behind only that sort She noticed how his moustache was but they were happy to let the children might be mined. And waitresses, they of person who can stand that much hongo if they wanted. So the chauffeur say, will pretend they can speak English, ey — the sweet, the good, the well-behav-The uncle died and left all his money would drive them there and pick them instead of pretending that they can, ed, the well-bred, and the rich. People

happened. It was Easter, in the jolly No. Everything was terrific in those days, They skipped hand in hand out of Edweard, on the other hand, wasn't year of nineteen-sixty-eight. And nat- just the way it should be. And so Ed-, the church and down the stairs, passing named after anybody, and he was glad, urally Edweard and McCormick HAD weard and McCormick came out of by the long line of the crippled and the too. It was bad enough having an older to go to church. BUT - because it was church and it was a beautiful sunny maimed, not to mention the afflicted, sister who was named after somebody, such a nice day, they convinced the day, and there were lillies blooming all the deformed, the retarded, the dying, especially when she was just old enough chauffeur to let them walk home, and over the place, and daffodils, and there and the physically scarred. All these to boss him around all the time, but not so he agreed, and went to a friend's was a little breeze blowing, and they were people were in a big line going in the old enough to know any better than he house and got drunk. Of course you so happy! Their hearts had been lifted church, and there . . . . . . realise that in this day and age, such a up by the glorious and wonderful service

(to be continued).



SOUR FRIEND + THE TOLLET IS YOUR FRIEND + THE TOLLET IS YOUR FRIEND | THE TOLLET IS YO

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ed him lumbering up the stairs of her children went to was St Joseph's Oratory, roving bands of thugs all over the place, everybody's neck and in their hair, and parents' house, gasping and wheezing, the biggest and the most religious of armed with guns and bombs and ransom cars and buses were having a hell of a like they used to. Everything is terrible just like Edweard and McCormick, who

thought the whole thing was just

# International Womens Day 1986 DISCUSSION + VITEOS politual situation Women, together

The first Justralian International Womens Day was held on March 25th 1928 in the Sydney Pomain. It was organised by a group calling themselves the Militant Women's Movement. The wower emphasized by women on that day were - equal pay for equal work

- an eight hour day
- the abolition of piecework
- a basic wage for the unemployed
- annual holidays with full pay.

International Womens Pay, has been and still is about Solidarity between Women. Although ve still have along way to go, All women need to continue to unite to improve over 2:00 = 4:00 STEAKERS economic, physical, social, emotional and

Women, together have achieved a THE FEMILIET BROADLISTING great deal, women's health centres, rape

COLECTIVE OF 2XX presents crisis centres, some access to child care,

Women's shelters, some women only spaces.

Had together, we will work towards,

LOUISA EN PISQUES AND equality for all our sisters, freedom and

FILENT QUEST KNOT HOLES 8pm

Peace, Women together, rising up strong!

# WOMEN ON CAMPUS

Women on Campus (W.O.C.) is open to all women at ANU and provides an important for um for discussion, working together, and acting on issues we feel are of fundamental significance and of benefit to women at the University, and in the broader community. These issues may be intensely personal, or more broadly-based ideological concerns, (though most of the time these two categories overlap.) The group is usually diverse - composing part-time and mature age students, students who have been here for a while, and first-year students who perhaps are just beginning to find out about feminist issues, and would like to meet other similar-minded people to chat and share ideas with.

Meetings are informal, and topics for discussion or comments/ideas, etc. New women are always welcome to attend, and their input is essential to keep W.O.C. strong and effective. On a rather personal note, after feeling initially rather tentative about coming to meetings and sharing my views, I found WOC a wonderfully supportive and positive group, with a deep commitment to improving the condition of women as a disadvantaged group still facing economic, social and ideological discrimination. The lowest point of the year for me was attending the stacked Students' Association meeting which voted to withdraw WOC's funding, because it refused to join Clubs and Societies, (which would mean that WOC would relinquish its autonomy - having its funding vetted by a committee and

by opening its membership to men). This autonomy of WOC as a non-hierarchical, all-women group is a fundamental source

of power and support in the struggle for equality. Disadvantaged groups usually work more effectively and powerfully by the uniting of its members in an atmosphere of common beliefs and

The celebration of the opening of the new Women's Room (behind the Knothole's Bar), at the end of the year, was a more positive event (the party was great fun!) This room is an invaluable source of information, as well as being somewhere quiet for women to study, meet and have a cup of coffee. Drop in and visit - or better still, come to our picnic in O'Week on Tuesday at 12 o'clock by Sullivan's Creek.

# BLUESTOCKINGS

'Bluestocking' was a term used to slander tertiary-educated women at the turn of the century. It assumed that women who sought an education were not real women since they were not fulfilling their function as wives and

It literally took centuries before women were admitted to tertiary institutions. Many determined and talented women spent their lives laying siege to the ivory towers, gaining ground by painful but invaluable degrees. Today, many women take their access to universities and colleges for granted and most people have forgotten the long, feminist struggle for this right.



bluestockings. Yet we are still underrepresented in all levels of the education system. While women form the majority of first year Arts students, their numbers have dropped by fourth year to make them a small minority of honours students. Numbers drop again through the ranks of lecturers and senior lecturers to the point where only about 20% of professors at ANU are women. Naturally the statistics are even more marked in the non-humanities. And as the government moves more and more to a system of 'user-pays' the participation of women will be particularly adversely affected, as history shows that the scarcer the

resource, the less women have access

Getting here was only part of the struggle. We have still to ensure that there are more of us, and that the place changes so that we are not merely tolerated but accepted and respected on our own terms.

(Women on Campus meets at Wednesday 1 o'clock in the women's room. If you're getting involved with things or thinking about it, W.O.C. is somewhere to talk with other women about the problems you might face, to build up your confidence and help each other.)

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Then the Vice Charel Fasked if any girl would ! Le to be president jill cried: "I will!"

### WOMEN IN STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

At a conference on Industrial Relations and Management in Student Organizations held in Melbourne in February, an afternoon was devoted to discussion of women in student organizations. The two women from A.N.U. who attended the conference realized from this discussion that the problems they face are problems shared by women involved in student organizations all over Australia.

The biggest of these is confidence. Confidence in getting involved, speaking, facing people who seem to know more, standing for positions, voicing opinions at meetings and just feeling that your contribution matters. If a woman appears to be confident she is immediately branded as aggressive. In meetings boys talk over women and in departmental committees and other academic meetings male academics may not listen soattentively to women students. Confronted by these attitudes no wonder women lack confidence. It is not until you've become involved and learnt more about the processes of student organizations that you realize that often it is a question of confidence in being able to bluff that can make boys seem more knowledgeable. There are lots of things that women can contribute to student organizations that boys will never be able to. YOU can get involved: -

- by being class rep. -coming along to Students' Association meetings -in halls and colleges committees -in academic boards and

committees

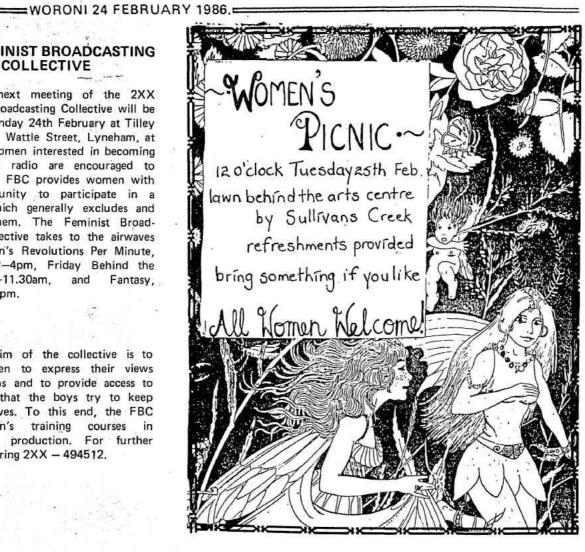
"I've decided to be class rep" said mother.

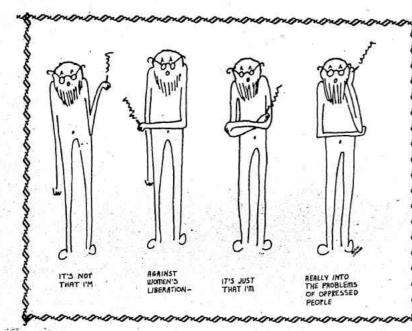
-in political groups -by running for president!!!!

# 2XX FEMINIST BROADCASTING COLLECTIVE

The next meeting of the 2XX Feminist Broadcasting Collective will be held on Monday 24th February at Tilley Devines, 96 Wattle Street, Lyneham, at 6pm. All women interested in becoming involved in radio are encouraged to attend. The FBC provides women with the opportunity to participate in a medium which generally excludes and demeans them. The Feminist Broadcasting Collective takes to the airwaves with Women's Revolutions Per Minute, Thursday 2-4pm, Friday Behind the Lines, 9-11.30am, and Fantasy, Sunday 3-5pm.

The aim of the collective is to allow women to express their views and concerns and to provide access to technology that the boys try to keep for themselves. To this end, the FBC run women's training courses in basic radio production. For further information ring 2XX - 494512.





# WOMENS SERVICES IN THE ACT

Women on Campus 1pm Wednesdays, Women's Room Contact us through our pigeonhole in the SA Office.

The Women's House 3 Lobelia St.,

Abortion Counselling Service ph: 478070

Rape Crisis Centre Ph: 472525, 24hrs, 7 days a week

Canberra Women's Refuge Ph: 959618

Toora Single Women's Shelter Ph: 472438

Queanbeyan Women's Refuge Ph: 976070 -

Ph: 478882 (every Tuesday and Friday between 6.30 and 8.00pm) Wimminnews Subscriptions, articles, etc. c/- the Womens House.

The Incest Centre Ph: 95013

Womens Archives Childers St Huts.

Women Against Racism Young Womens Group c/- the Women's House

ANU Sexual Harrassment Phoneline - (49) 3595

 Tilley Devines Lyneham Shops

Feminist Broadcasting Collective on 2XX (1008khz) Women's Revolution Per Minute (2-4pm Thursdays) Fantasy (3-5pm Sundays)

Maureen McInroy ANU Equal Employment Opportunity Officer

tuition; evening classes, correspondence course, physical education, gymnastics, calisthenics, eurythmics;

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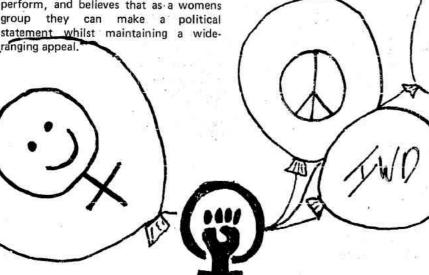


2XX WOMEN'S DAY CELEBRATION

To celebrate International Women's Day the 2XX Feminist Broadcasting Collective is presenting an evening of women's entertainment at Knotholes Bar, ANU, starting at 8pm. Music will be provided by Louisa en disques and a new Canberra women's

band, Girls Next Door. Girls Next Door will be making their debut on International Women's Day. The bands line-up includes three former members of Girls Night Out-Jacqui Pearce (bass and backing vocals), Amanda Gillespie (drums), and newcomers Linda Pearson (lead vocals). and Catriona Anderson (guitar and backing vocals). According to Elizabeth Jamieson Girls Next Door aim to entertain audiences, 'to have fun and see other people having fun,' while showing that women have a place in what remains a predominantly male

Jacqui Pearce says the band hopes to encourage other women to perform, and believes that as a womens group they can make a political statement whilst maintaining a wide-



A highlight of the evenings festivities is THE TALENT QUEST, to be judged with the technological assistance of 2XX's newly acquired Great Computer Goddess. The IWD Talent Quest gives you the opportunity to entertain your friends or allow them to entertain you! So if you have always wanted to be in the limelight or just want to have a good time this is

your chance. For further information contact: Claire 485257(H) 480640(H) Jane 488913 Ruth or leave a message at 2XX (494512).

Throughout International Women's Day 2XX will be providing continuous women's programming, documenting women's cultural and political achievements. So stay tuned to 1008khz, and get along to Knotholes Bar on March 8th for International Women's Day.

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# THE PHILIPPINE ELECTION

# MARCOS, MURDER AND MANIPULATION. WHAT OF THE FUTURE?



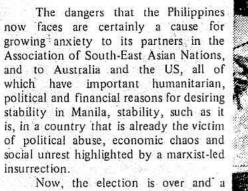
A talk by Aida Santos-Maranan from Gabriela Women's Coalition in the Philippines. Sponsored by the Phillipine Action Support Group.

Haydon-Allen Building. Room G25., at 2.00pm. Wednesday, 26th February

- Committee Against Repression in the Pacific and Asia (CARPA) and Philippine Action Support Group (CARPA. Wine and dim sim evening. Socialise and hear about the activities of these

5-7.00pm, Room G25 Haydon-Allen building, Monday, March 3rd.

-Philippine Action Support Group Meeting, Tuesday March 4th. Board Room, Union Building, 6.30pm.



winner has been declared. But in the campaigns and in the turbulence that has arisen in the two weeks since the vote, President Marcos and Mrs. Corazon Aquino have triggered fears, anger and disillusionment among the Filipino people that could threaten the stability of the country for months or years. Since the election results became

known, President Marcos has vowed to 'deal with' the priests and nuns who 'collaborated' with the communists, by effectively instructing their parishes to vote for Mrs. Aquino.

regime, due to its nationwide organ- President Marcos. isation of churches as community

The Archbishop of Manila, Card-The actions of President Marcos unequivocally supported Mrs. Aquino's death squads as it maintains its criticism taken against the Catholic church of the call for non-violent civil disobedience of the government. An Australian priest, Philippines merely confirm what is as a form of protest against the Marcos Father Brian Gore, was imprisoned for widely known; that the church is the regime. This support is sure to bring 14 months on charges of inciting rereal source of opposition to the Marcos the church into greater conflict with

stranger to intimidation. It has en- of evidence of his guilt.

inal Jamie Sin, and his bishops, have countered jailings, physical abuse and bellion, possession of ammunition, and multiple murder, despite the fact that The catholic church is no he was eventually released due to a lack

Father Gore was imprisoned from the 6th of May, 1983, until the 3rd of July, 1984. He was framed because of his churches role in the encouragement of union organization amongst the sugar plantation workers of Negros Island, in which is located Father Gore's

Historically, the church was used to indoctrinate the workers into a faith of obedience at the behest of the planter class, but in the late 1960's, the Negros workers began to stir and turned to the church for support just as the church was breaking its historic alliance with the planter class. Gore's imprisonment was a consequence of the evolving role of the church in the Philippines, and his imprisonment bore witness to the turmoil of transition within the church and Filipino society.

Father Gore and eight others, known as the Negros nine, were acquitted of the charges against them on 3rd July, 1984. In August Father Gore went into voluntary exile from the Philippines and returned to Australia. He was not deported. Valid permanent resident visas and current re-entry visas are maintained. Father Gore worked as a priest in the Philippines. He was never an aid worker or anything else.

Labor Students invites all students to come and hear Father Gore discuss the Philippines today; a nation in political, economic and social distress, on Friday the 28th of February at 12.30pm, Copeland lecture theatre.

# LENNOX HOUSE DISPUTE

Ass. Vice. Chancellor.

Dear Mr. Plowman,

A meeting of the Old Lennox House Residents Association, on the 16-2-1986, unanimously resolved the following:

(1) there has been no agreement between either Lennox House residents or the Students Association with the University re the D-Block residents outdoor recreation site upon which the Creche proposes to construct a bables room;

(2) a rational alternative site which we propose is that the Creche utilize either rooms 1 and or 3 on H-Block. This would represent a considerable cost saving to the university as only emergency fire exits would need to be placed in the rear walls of these rooms. It would also seem ideal for the Creche as these rooms are currently. occupied a maximum of ten weeks a year by the School Holiday Program. The proposed D- Block site would have a detrimental effect on the livingconditions and studies of D-Block residents, two of whom will be writing

(3) Replacement of the two panels of fencing, the construction of which was financed by the Students Association and Lennox residents, and which has been removed by University workmen, is essential. This action has resulted in a invasion of privacy and a deterioration of study conditions for residents of D-Block.

This dispute could have been avoided had the University had the good sense and manners to consult with Lennox House residents and the Students Association before construction began. We urge you to consider our proposal and await your reply, until which time we trust that no

further work will be done, per Lennox House Residents Assoc.

Wednesday 26th February: Market Day stall. Meet some members for an informal chat or heavy discussion.

Thursday 27th February: Peter Jones., 3pm in Hayden-

a talk about International Peace year followed by a brief introduction to SPG., and informal meeting with some SPG members ", refreshments.

Wednesday 5th March: first SPG meeting of the year., 7.30pm in Union Boardroom.

Look forward to meeting you.

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As you have heard or read in the media 1985 has been a significant year in South Africa.

The Blacks in S.A. (Azania) have mobilized themselves to fight against the apartheid regime, the international community has shown their support for the blacks by their award of the Nobel Peace Prize to Bishop Desmond Tutu; anti-apartheid groups have been formed all over the world to protest against the racist government of Pretoria, However, the situation in South Africa has not fundamentally changed.

Still the "Bantustans" exist. These are artifically created homelands for the purposes of segregation. They are geographically, economically disadvantaged areas which occupy 13% of the land they are designed to ultimately house all Blacks in South Africa - 80 % of the population! As the areas are not fertile enough to allow the Blacks to be self-sufficient they are dependent on the racist state for work, in fact they make up a slave labour force, yet, without even the advantages of slaves: slaves such as the American negroes were an important economic unit and it was in their owners' interest to keep them

When employed, the worker has to leave his or her 'homeland', leaving behind the rest of the family, and taking up residence in a black township such as Soweto. Again they are segregated from the whites. The whites they work with receive higher salaries and better conditions, one of the main discriminations against the workforce is the 'pass law'. Black workers have to carry passes to the areas they work in; these state the times at which the worker is permitted to enter the area of employment. Outside these times the workers are not allowed in. Nor are they permitted in white areas for which they do not have a pass.

Other ways in which Blacks are discriminated against include not having the right to vote. Bishop Desmond Tutu emphasized this inequality in a speech to the United Nations General Assembly: "I am a Bishop in the Church of God. I am 54 years old. I am a Nobel Laureate. Many would say I was reasonably responsible. In the land of my birth, I cannot vote. An 18 year old because he or she is white . . . . . can." (1) Black political parties such as the PAC and the ANC are banned - one wonders why, as Blacks cannot vote for them anyway. In education too, blacks and whites are segregated. The Black teacher: pupil ratio is 1:90. The white corresponding figure is approximately 1:30. White schools, colleges and universities provide a far superior education to black ones, because of higher funding and better education to white teachers.

This is the current situation in South Africa in the areas of politics, economics and education - fundamental aspects of life, enjoyed by blacks if at all, in inferior quantities to whites. Small wonder then that they have begun to fight back. They are using violence against the whites as the whites have used whips, machine guns, clubs and rubber bullets, against

Much has been said about black violence against blacks - the proponents of the apartheid regime using this in their propaganda as 'evidence' that blacks are not capable of ruling themselves, because they fight and kill their own people. Was this said in the 2nd World War about the Resistance fighters of occupied countries who fought against not only the German oppressors but also the collaborators? The Black resistance movement now has to unite blacks into one wave of anti- apartheid fighters.

We can help them in their struggle



We can help them in their struggle by showing our support for their aims and by pressuring our government to cut all ties with the Pretoria regime. Here in Canberra there are a number

of anti-apartheid groups. On campus we have our own organisation: Students Against Apartheid, which is linked to the other groups locally. For further information contact SAA at the Students

Whither South Africa? Address by Bishop Desmond Tutu to the Political Committee of the United Nations General Assembly, October 28, 1985.

STUDENTS AGAINST APARTHEID O'Week - stall at Market Day.

Open air speaker Thursday 27th Union Court, 1pm.

Feb. 27th Meeting - 4pm - wine and cheese. New members and all interested people welcome., in the Knotholes Extension.

# SAVE JERVIS BAY!

In October 1985 the Minister of Defence announced a plan to transfer the Royal Australian Navy's home to Jervis Bay from Sydney. Four RAN sites would be involved in the switch and could involve the transfer of about 4,700 personnel to Jervis Bay. These include munitions assembly and storage facilities being moved from Newington in Sydney; relocations of sections of Garden Island and HMAS Platypus (a submarine base) to the Bay with extensive upgrading of docking facilities, breakwalls and wharves; installation of a power generating station; increased naval housing; and transferring the torpedo recovery range to Jervis Bay waters from Pittwater in Sydney in 1986.

The plans were being opposed by local residents and conservationists as well as the peace movement who also see Jervis Bay as the base for visits by US nuclear armed warships and submarines on the East Coast rather than Sydney and Melbourne; the ALP is under pressure to take more ship visits to the East Coast to relieve West Australia which currently gets around 70% of port calls, and the Minister of Defence does not favour these ships going to Sydney or Melbourne.

Close to 40% of US warships coming to Australia are now nuclear powered and 80% are capable of taking nuclear weapons; the latest N-weapon being fitted to US ships and submarines is the Sea Launched Cruise Missile.

Jervis Bay is renowned for the clarity of its water which allows seagrass to grow to considerable depths and sustains a colourful variety of corals, anemones, sea whips, tulips, fans and sponges. The cleaness of the Bay is due largely to its having no major river running into it, and the surrounding rock being sandstone which breaks down into sand, not mud.

The Australian Conservation Foundation and the Nature Conservation Council of NSW say the naval developments could pollute the water and affect the sea life. They want the Federal Government to contribute to the establishment of reserves around the bay to protect it from mounting urban pressures, rather than contributing to its deterioration.

Opposition locally is led by the Jervis Bay Protection Committee and as Jervis Bay is Commonwealth Territory and part of the ACT, the peace movement in Canberra believes we should actively support their campaign. Having had the ACT declared a Nuclear Free Zone the Canberra Programme for Peace believes that the Federal Government's unwillingness to accept the recommendation is because they are planning to bring nuclear powered and nuclear armed warships to Jervis Bay.

Local residents are also concerned about the social impact of ship visits bearing in mind the effects of such visits in West Australia where up to 10,000 sailors at a time visit the state - mainly Perth and Fremantle - for a week. Nuclear powered vessels are not completely safe and there have been many leakages of radioactive materials from these ships over the years.

CONTACT: Canberra Peace Centre Behind Childers St. Hall Childers St.,

Canberra City

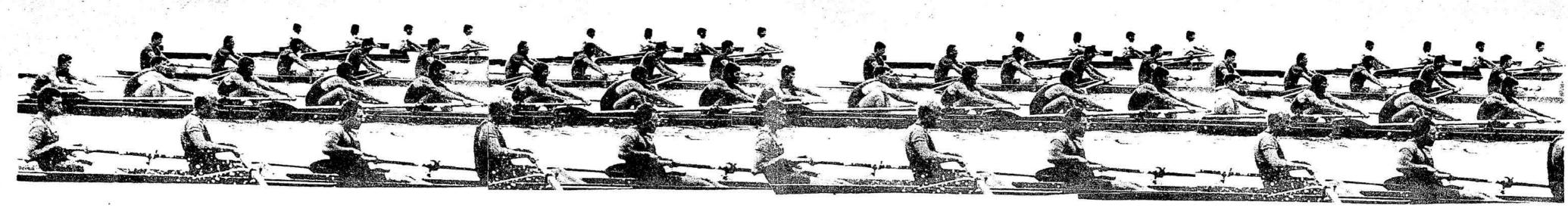
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club's strengths.

As well as rowing, A.N.U.B.C. coxing. Coxing offers an opportunity for those people who don't generally think of themselves as sporty to play an active (in fact a commanding) role in what has to be rated the ultimate

September to March, though training continues all year round. Regattas are available on most weekends. They 

are one of the most enjoyable parts of the season. However, many junior offers plenty of opportunities for crews who cannot afford the time to In the first semester of 1986, A.N.U.B.C. travel obtain a perfectly satisfactory amount of competition without leaving Canberra. At the end of each season there is a big intervarisy regatta, with all the accompanying social life. The 1986 I.V. Regatta will be held in Adelaide and A.N.U.B.C. plans to send a substantial squad.

> A.N.U.B.C. is 21 years old and has an active tradition of social events.

# ROWING AT ANU The ULTIMATE Team Sport

champagne breakfasts, weekend barbeques and fundraising events. will be running a novice coaching programme each Sunday morning at 10pm at the boathouse, which is located on Sullivans Creek about 100yds downstream from the Daley Road Bridge and nearly opposite Burgman College. Further information will be available at the boat club stall on 'market day' in O-Week and in a wall display in the Union building.

# ANU AUSSIE RULES

you with snorkelling and scuba skills,

equipment, diving physics, medical

and cover essential topics such as

aspects, first aid for diving ailments,

and the laws relating to diving. Training

open water work at the coast. The latter

fascinating underwater plants and

winter) are 10 March and 19 May (an

extra one could be run if there is a

includes pool sessions in Canberra and

dives, as well as an introduction to the

animals. Starting dates for 1986 (pre-

invertebrate life, and Fish Identification,

March 13: Club meeting, Union Board

Room, 8pm: MEET CLUB MEMBERS

March 15,16,17: Bushrangers Bay: Chuck

March 10: Basic SCUBA DIVER course

March 28-31 (Easter): South-west Rocks:

Mid-April: Underwater Naturalist course

begins, 6.30pm¾ A. Ivanovici (546001)

May 19: Basic SCUBA DIVER course

**EXCITING DIVES AFTER EASTER!** 

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INFORMATION:

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Ever wanted to hang free and weightless, surrrounded hundreds of fish and other marine lie, or watch the sung glowing brokenly through waves? Try the ANU Skindiving Club for diving weekends, seafaris and training to world standards (FAUI).

The summer holidays found club members exploring a number of exciting venues including:

-Great Barrier Reef in November, where Lizard Island and the reefs beyond the OUTER BARRIER offered wonderful visibility, abundant fish, turtles, the occasional sea snake and a breathtaking diversity of soft and hard corals, shells and nudibranchs;

-a week of intervarsity diving at Jervis Bay in February with divers from universities of Queensland, NSW, Victoria, Tasmania and South Australia. Divers visited a great range of deep and shallow sites, such as The Arch, Stoney Creek, The Bogey Hole and others. As usual, much interesting sealife was

-on the south coast, divers were treated to an exciting newer site called The Tunnel, in December. This site offers a wonderful range of temperate water sea creatures in an area with extensive tunnels and overhangs.

Several new club members completed a basic diver qualification training course in November, in time for summer diving, while several others took advanatage of the introductory marine biology course (Underwater Naturalist) completed in early February. This latter introduced the naturalists to brilliantly coloured flatworms in less than 2 metres of water, seagrass beds, kelp forests, several late Port Jackson sharks, and a special treat a picnagonid crab (very hard to find) and a sea horse!

Plans for this year so far include activites for the keen snorkel and scuba diver up to Easter, namely;

-long weekend at Bushrangers Bay, one of NSW's aquatic reserves. -club meeting in March (slides

those wanting qualifications for

to learn to dive (only qualified divers can join in the dives) in March (club discounts are available). -seafari over the 'Easter break to SouthWest Rocks.

-marine biology courses for qualified divers starting mid-April. The club was founded in 1968, and has grown from the initial 10 to

the present 120 members. Facilities members include 12 scuba sets for at club(free of charge) and

private (nominal hire charge) dives for qualified divers, an air compressor for tank fills at remote localities, a inflatable boat and on qualifying SCUBA courses. Membership fees are very reasonable at \$5 or \$10 per year for students and non-students respectively who are Sports Union members.

**NEW MEMBERS ARE** ALWAYS WELCOME

I'd like to join, but I'm not a qualified diver! No problems! The club's training

officer runs basic SCUBA DIVER qualification courses several times before Winter sets in. These provide



the mind; give new ideas, open the eyes, bring forward, 'teach the young idea how to shoot;' improve

THE MOST SUCCESSFUL AND SOCIALISING CLUB ON CAMPUS rescue procedures for divers, the rescue procedures for divers, the

'Have I not heard the sea puffed up wtih winds Rage like an angry boar chafed with sweat? Have I not heard great ordnance

in the field. covers boat diving, night dive and shore And heaven's artillery thunder in the skies?'

Perhaps not. But then you must not have heard of the ANU Australian Rules Football Club. For you would For the qualified diver, two marine know then, that this club has played biology courses are available. These are Underwater Naturalist, an introduction in six grand finals in the last six years, that this club staged Inter-varsity in 1985 to marine habitats and their plant and and intends taking revenge at Monash in 1986; that this club threw social an introduction to the rays, sharks and extravaganzas of the decade and will fishes. Dates for these are mid-April and mid-July for UN and mid-June do better in 1986. It's presence will engulf your lethargy and spike your

General inquiries: Norm Schram (492764 bh), Michelle Karas (493233 bh, 81-6336 ah). Training and courses: Angela The beacon for 1986 is that ANU will be playing in ACTAFL for the first time since 1979. ACTAFL is the premier grade in Canberra and ANU's success ANU SKINDIVING CLUB PROGRAM in a lower competition has enabled it MARCH TO EASTER 1986 to enter the skilful and most competitive division in the region.

> All prospective athletes are invited to attend trainings at ANU South Oval at 5.15pm on Tuesday and Thursdays from the 4th March. Before then, training will be on Mondays and Wednesdays; yes indeed, you can smell the Dencorub and polished leather

And for those who lack the compulsion? Fear not! For the Annual General Meeting will take place on Thursday, March 6th, after training (7pm) at South Oval. It is there, where you may involve yourself with the club on its march to the 1986 Premiership. The Blueies swept

'Tush! Tush! Fear boys with

DANU SQUASH CLUB urgently requires competition players of all standards. For further information please phone Sue Savage xtn 3496.

SAILING CLUB

The ANU Sailing Club has lots to offer for both beginners and experienced sailors. The club provides sailing and windsurfing facilities, a clubhouse and regular training for its members.

We have a large social sailing membership, providing boats dprvigivslly got yhid putpodr snf sldo hsbr vtred - racing regularly in local and

interstate competitions.

without any, leaving from outside Burton and Garran Hall at 1.00pm. sailors and

Lookout for our Market Day

Stall for more info. and come along

to our open day on Sunday, 2nd

March from 1.00pm at the Clubhouse.

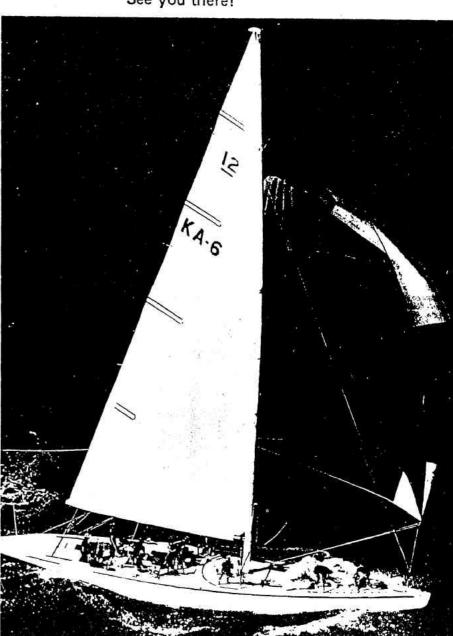
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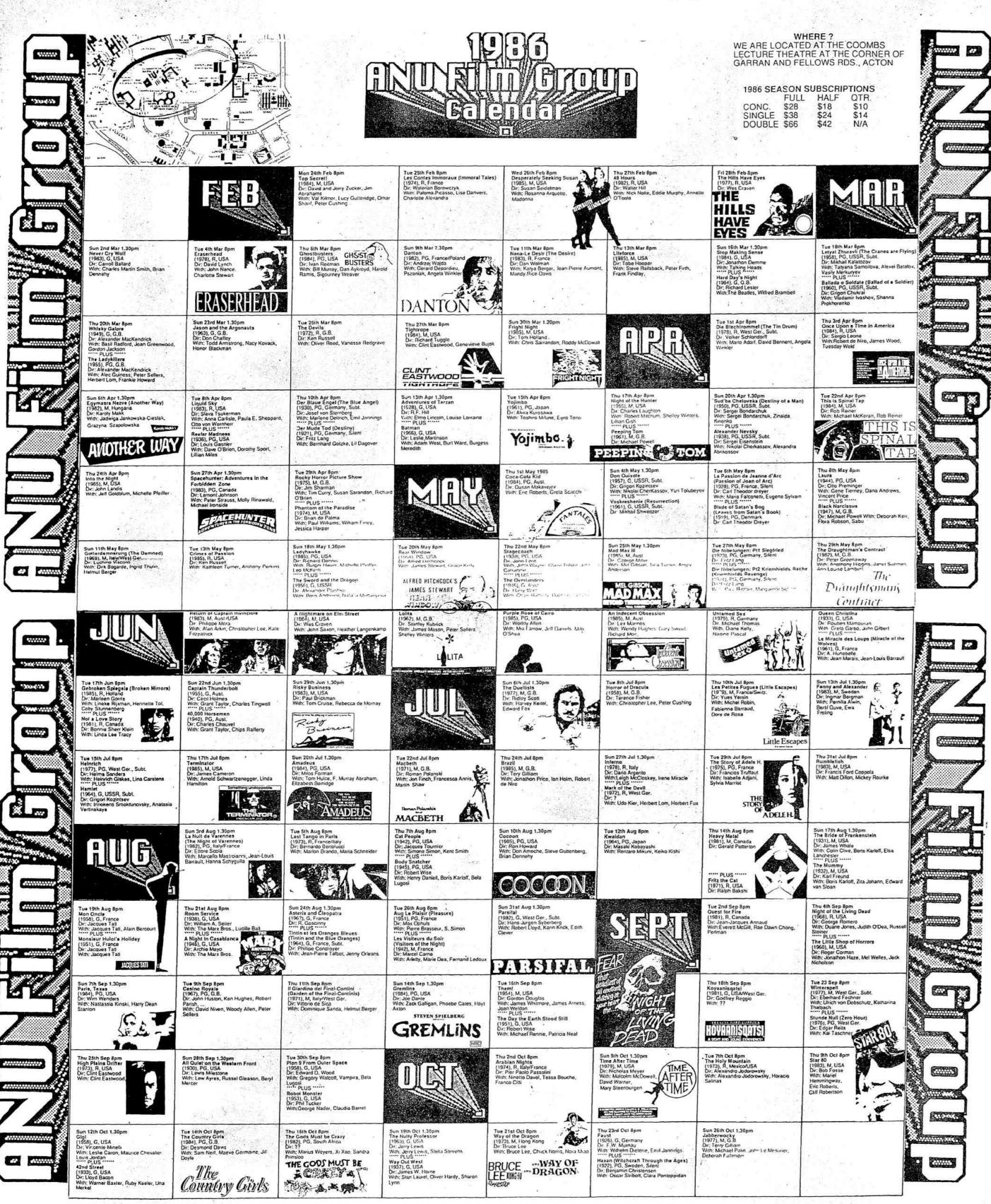
charge) and lots of sailing and boarding.

Transport will be provided for those

Experienced beginners are all welcome. See you there!







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# THE "WHAT WILL WE CALL THIS PAGE?" PAGE

# IND. REL. & MAN. IN STUD. ORGS.

A conference on industrial relations contradict this. and management in student organisations employees attended, including two ANU budget, etc. students. Seminars and workshops were and financial management.

Students as employers lack expertise interesting. in industrial relations, tending to forget, in fact, that they are employers. Terms and conditions are not properly codiprocedures and pay structures are irregular. Attitudes to staff are shaped by politics and disputes and problems are solved politically. Political pressure is applied to employees to work for students, 'above and beyond the call of duty.' With each political change comes changes to the employees' position. Due to lack of finances, working conditions are usually poor and safety conditions are often belowthat which is legally acceptable. Students see industrial constraints as infringing on student autonomy, making management decisions rationalised by 'student control of student affairs.'

attended the conference stressed the need for students as employers to be more aware of the working conditions of their employees. One factor seen as particularly important was the need for formalised systematic review procedures and concomitant channels for grievances - that is, to establish more effective communication between employer and employee.

was the difficulties associated with an employee who is no longer fulfilling the requirements of their position, and if it should become necessary for that employee to be dismissed. This raises the question of whether SAs should employ staff as permanent or on specified time contracts. (Incidentally, this was not a dilemma which was resolved).

Employer/employee relationships also came under scrutiny in the Occupational Health and Safety Seminar and Workshops, especially Repetition Strain Injury and preventative measures that can be taken.

The seminar that aroused perhaps the most discussion in the workshops was the seminar entitled Women in Student Organisations. Many issues were raised, including problems of confidence, aggravated by the attitudes and behaviour of some men involved in student organisations. Women in the workshops cited examples from experience of obstacles encountered due to sexism on student organisations (examples included being 'talked over' and interrupted in meetings, feeling intimidated by this and similar attitudes, and feeling intimidated by supposed lack of knowledge and expertise, etc.). It was generally agreed that what needed to change was attitudes. That is, men who describe themselves as sympathetic to feminism but continue to behave in ways which

was held on February 6th and 7th in management were also discussed -Melbourne. Representatives, students and knowing how to deal with formulating

In overview, the conference pro-



Management consultants who Another major problem identified

Problems related to financial

conducted on contracts, women in vided a useful forum for informative student organisations, occupational discussion of problems specific to health, equal opportunity employment student organisations in the areas of industrial relations and management. Student organisations are renowned The opportunity to compare situations for their poor industrial conditions. with other campuses was particularly

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O TO THE MEN AT UNIVERSITY: THE WOMENS ROOM

I am writing that short article because the idea of a women's space sion when we begin to dismantle the is often attacked by men, and I feel institutions of sexism and ourselves it is the task of men who support the unbecome 'men' - When we destroy idea to confront this abuse. We must our wish to compete, to dominate, try to confront it when it occurs - in to possess, to reduce women to sexual jeers, in conversations, and the scholar- objects, and to decide for others. In ly articles of sexists. But attacks are place of this behaviour we must learn not limited to verbal abuse. Late in to care for others, be communicative, 1985 the Women's Room in the Union and to work co-operatively - we was broken into, ransacked, and the must be motivated by the pleasure walls daubed with anti-woman of living without power over others. graffiti.

and lovers. Men must face this.

but because of entrenched male this. power in society. As men, members of the male class, we benefit from this oppression. We benefit from the social P.S. Women who think this article is from the expectation that women be needn't even be printed. less assertive and that what we say will be taken as more important. Women are intimidated from being out alone in the night while we are able to go 11 0 11 C 2 virtually anywhere and often find ourselves in the powerful, patronizing role of chaperone. We benefit from women's oppression, even if we try not to take up the advantages of our socially-established power.

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We will only destroy this oppres-

In the meantime we must support Women in this society are women in their struggle to retain oppressed. Women are employed in control over their lives. In women's more degrading work for less pay. space women are able to spend time Women often bear the double burden together without the harassing presence of employment and domestic work. of men and regain some confidence. Many women do not walk in the street (Hopefully women will elaborate on at night for fear of rape. Women are this - I am obviously not in the sexually harassed in jobs, while position!) The Women's Room is studying, and in the home - here for all women. And all men should often at the hands of fathers, husbands, support this. Women-only spaces are important in confronting domination This oppression does not by men and the resulting powerlessness exist because women are naturally weak, of women. So, Brothers, let's respect

inequality of women and a whole wrong, misleading, damaging, etc. range of double standards. We benefit should say so. It can be altered and

The Chemistry Department is holding an 'Open Morning' on the Thursday of O-Week. Prof. Warrener will be giving a formal introductory lecture between 9.30-10.30 followed by Dr. Salinger and Dr. Rasmussen speaking briefly of their research interests. Staff will be available until 12.30 for informal discussion in the alchemists alcove (adjacent to main chem, lecture theatre).

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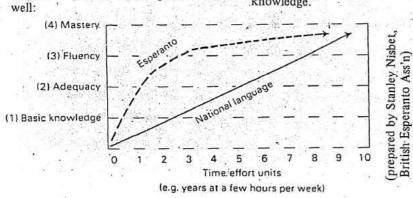
# ESPERANTO THE CREATED WORLD LANGUAGE

Esperanto was created by Ludwig Zamenhof, a Jewish doctor who published the first book of Esperanto in Poland in 1887. The language caught on strongly throughout Europe and then spread to North and South America and several Asian countries. Despite oppression in the past century by many governments (under Stalin, Franco, Hitler, etc.) Esperanto has been a living and lively language for all this time. There is a large and growing body of original Esperanto literature, as well as much in translation. Estimates of the current number of Esperanto speakers

The Esperanto grammar consists of 16 rules without exceptions and is so simple that it can be mastered in a few hours. The system of prefixes and suffixes is also easy to understand. It obviously requires some practice to apply the rules of grammar correctly and fluently, but the effort needed is greatly less than that of learning a national tongue. The Esperanto vocabularly consists largely of words which are internationally known. Once familiar with the rules of grammar and word-formation and English-speaker is likely to recognise 70 percent of Esperanto words. Some linguists theorise that Esperanto is four times easier to learn than any national language. In the absence of experimental evidence, the following diagram shows this general idea

suggest that several million people

around the world use or understand



# halls and college news

At the time of printing only B&G and Johns could show a tentative program for 'O' Week events. The rest... the rest promise great things, but... what they actually are is a mystery.

Dear H&C Residents: It is up to you to provide the

information and news about H&C activities that you want in Woroni, It's easy! Take pen to paper, scissors or photocopier to graphics and together with any black and white photographs send or drop them into Woroni.

Come into the Woroni office . (in the SA) to talk to an Editor -WE WON'T BITE.

Some people ask: if Esperanto is such a wonderful means of communication, why hasn't it caught on? The answer is that it IS catching on, but the process is a slow one, like any process for change. The problems lies with people expecting success overnight! Esperanto now is particularly strong in certain European states (especially Bulgaria and Hungary) and has recently taken off in South East Asia: 120 000 (!!) Chinese are studying Esperanto in universities, there are groups in Sri Lanka, South Korea and Iran, and Esperanto has always been strong in

# ESPERANTO AND ENGLISH

'Why learn Esperanto?', some people say, 'English is already the international language.' On the surface they would seem to have a point. English as a native language is spoken by over 300 million people, and huge numbers speak some English as a second language. In the 1960's the World Postal Union estimated that 80 percent of world postage, 70 percent of all newspapers and 60 percent of all radio broadcasts were in English. Today's figures are not vastly different. The causes of this dominance, however, are not related to some superior character of the English language itself, but to the forces which use English: English is the languagemedium for the brunt of anglo-american imperialism, its culture, finance and

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Collinder has said: 'A national question ... When Latin was the language of educated people, of the Catholic Church and of dipof Latin was concerned ... what regular that anyone may learn it in elementary school. as little wisdom as it is,



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'So English as a second language spread most widely where western imperialism is most dominant - in Western Europe, parts of Asia and Latin America. For the shopkeeper in Calcutta or the clerk in Argentina, it is easy enough to learn a few phrases of English, but even to begin mastering the language is a formidable task. English is a complex and irregular language in which fluency comes only after years of intense use, and this is out of reach for the vast majority of people. When these people are confronted with a fluent English speaker and expected to speak English they are put into a powerless situation. English is not 'the' international language when we consider the number of people actually able to clearly express themselves in it; and because of its difficulty and inevitable political abuse, nor- is it worthy of being one. The growth of Esperanto in many 'third-world' countries is an encouraging sign that people are looking beyond English, Russian and other 'world' languages. Uses of Esperanto are continually coming to light: in Cuba, for example, Esperanto serves as the main means of communication between Cubans and Czechoslovakian and Bulgarian technicians working there. Esperanto is growing and should be encouraged!



language cannot become the world language without crushing the other languages. This possibility is naturally out of the lomacy, the situation was entirely different. No nation had the right to schoolmaster the others when the verbal or written use we need now is a simplified Latin, a rationally streamlined language, ... so simple and Fortunately we have such a language: Esperanto ... If the world were not governed by Esperanto would already have been introduced in the schools of all lands, and the world language problem would be

ESPERANTO: ITS VALUE TO YOU

The reasons for promoting Esperanto through a student paper should be clear: students are as likely as any group in the population to have the time and interest to learn Esperanto, and many have a long life ahead in which Esperanto couldproductively be used.

There are many uses for Esperanto. This is true for anyone who has friends or contacts overseas, who has ever wanted to request information from a non-English-speakers' organisation, or who hopes to travel. Many European, Latin American and, increaseingly, Asian organisations have some Esperanto contacts, if not members. For the sake of clarity and min mising effort, it it probably easiest for both you and them to use Esperanto.

For travelling: a tremendous spirit goodwill exists among Esperantists around the globe. People in all countries will do their best to help you with contacts, information and accommodation in their area. If you are going to a country for a conference or to visit a friend you could get in touch first with the Esperanto group there. Someone will meet you, help with accommodation, etc. This hospitality is mutually practiced and standard throughout the international Esperanto community, regardless of people's

Some people learn Esperanto for its literature, others to find penfriends: whether you want to correspond with someone in Iceland, Mongolia, Chile or Indonesia, there are Esperantists in virtually every corner of the earth.

Many people express the desire: 'Oh, I must learn some Spanish,' or, 'Oh, I must polish up my French.' One can dabble around for years in national languages and not get very far. It is time we made Esperanto a priority! If you choose to make use of it (rather than let it 'come to you') it will be as useful to you as any other language. And, because of its clear structure, Esperanto teaches basic language-skills useful for learning other tongues. This is why it is often used as a model in linguistics courses.

The easiest Esperanto textbook to buy, by Cresswell and Hartley in the Teach Yourself series, presents the grammar well but is rather sexist. Is anyone interested in meeting once a week for a course in Esperato? If you are, leave a note for me in the Students' Association office on the notice board or write to me c/-G.P.O. Box 1814, ACT 2601. Will Firth



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In the Blues field it's worth remember-

ing last 'year's model Robert Cray. The Robert Cray Band in 1984 won best Blues

album, 'Bad Influence', and the W.P. Handy

award single, Phone Booth, for their efforts.

'False Accusations' was the follow up and what

it left out in terms of back breaking guitar

work it made up for in soulful and heartfelt

crooning. An album that is subtle, enjoyable

and best listened to in moments of reflection.

Talking Heads 'Little Creatures' was one of

the better 'commercial' efforts of '85 and there are some gems contained therein. 'The-Lady don't Mind,' 'Road to Nowhere,' and

'Television Man,' are very good songs, but the

rest of the LP meanders. It wanders from

country to gospel, mediocre song writing

to an attitude to music that seems incoherent

and expectations are high. Yet when I listen

to 'Remain in Light,' my criticism seems all

, and diffuse. Mind you, this is Talking Heads

the more appropriate.

# **UNDERCURRENT**

It's been a while since I last contributed to this fair journal, but I thought it was time to get back to writing just a little about music and sundry other indulgences. As for sharpening my teeth on the youthful and politically inclined attending to their studies at this university, I shall judiciously desist. While it is easy to poke fun at the socially awkward and politically zealous it becomes something of a bore; and I'm not only referring to those on the right of the political spectrum either. So it's back to music, a medium I feel most comfortable with, and to start with a brief recap. of 1985.

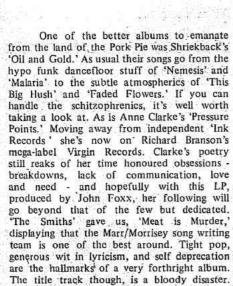
1985 was a peculiar year for music in the Antipodes. The only relatively interesting piece of vinyl to come from our own mutant island was DO RE MI's debut L.P., 'Domestic Harmony.' It's insight, political astuteness, and relative worth of men and women in relationships and society today, was a breath of fresh air when lined up against the vacuous and tacky Coke-ad ben of 'Electric Pandas' or the most hideous thing since the Black Death, INXS.

Chrome dome Garrett gave us the usual bit of political polemic, 'I'm serious about this nuclear thing, Donny,' and so it went. Still the most exciting band in OZ today is undoubtedly 'Hunters and Collectors.' While nothing sallied forth in the vinyl stakes, they did follow up the brilliant 'Jaws of Life' LP with several tours of the eastern sea board. With a swag of new songs, they're bound to follow up on the stunning 'Say Goodbye' single with an equally threatening album.



Overseas there was Bruce and the ever aptly named Dire Straits, flaunting their wares in a way only funeral directors know how. I fell asleep at the wheel.

From the seedier side of modern music. Tom Waits crawled out from under his rock with 'Rain Dogs.' As always, his music is motivated by street life, broken dreams, broken bottles, hookers with heart, and pimps who are bastards. Rain Dogs moves away somewhat in style from previous work and there are some quite strong Brecht influences on the album, especially with 'Singapore.' The beautiful yet jaded ballads are still there in 'Downtown Trains' and 'Time,' and the whole LP rounding off to be strong, coherent, and one of Wait's best. The same applies to John Cales, 'Artificial Intelligence.' Over the last couple of years we've seen Cale flounder a little, with some dire and some brilliant moments on Carribean Sunset, his last, but its with 'Artificial Intelligence' that Cale fans of old and hopefully new will find something of a totality in strength. Best tracks include, 'The Sleeper, Dying on the Vine,' and the quirky, 'Satellite Walk.'



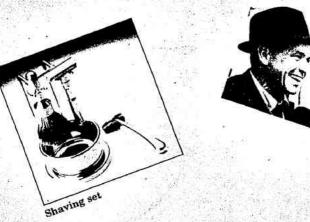
from the land of the Pork Pie was Shriekback's 'Oil and Gold.' As usual their songs go from the hypo funk dancefloor stuff of 'Nemesis' and 'Malaria' to the subtle atmospherics of 'This Big Hush' and 'Faded Flowers.' If you can handle the schitzophrenics, it's well worth taking a look at. As is Anne Clarke's 'Pressure Points.' Moving away from independent 'Ink Records' she's now on Richard Branson's mega-label Virgin Records. Clarke's poetry still reaks of her time honoured obsessions breakdowns, lack of communication, love and need - and hopefully with this LP, produced by John Foxx, her following will go beyond that of the few but dedicated. 'The Smiths' gave us, 'Meat is Murder,' displaying that the Marr/Morrisey song writing team is one of the best around. Tight pop, generous wit in lyricism, and self deprecation are the hallmarks of a very forthright album. The title track though, is a bloody disaster. Last on the decent albums list is Fine Young Cannibals' debut LP of the same name. Great pop and soul, brilliant arrangements and one of the most acceptably idiosyncratic singing styles give Roland Gift and his two ex-BEAT

men a fine young start.



4 A.D. next issue.

What do you say after you say





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The biggest disappointment in 1985 had to be the CLASH. Three years between

their last 'Combat Rock' and 'Cut the Crap'

didn't seem to make much difference. Half

the song writing talent has left and poor ol' Joe is left standing in his army reject apparel redeemable song on the LP is, 'This is England,' its the single and its cheap. That's about all for 1985 excepting those bands on England's independent 4 A.D. label. I'll be writing more about it and the bands currently signed to

Marcus Kelson.

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-communication . -roles/styles

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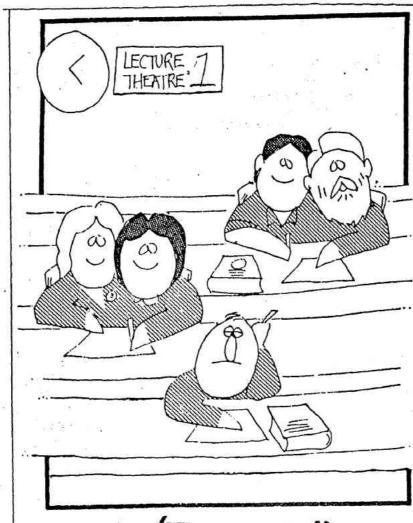
# RELAX. HOMOSEXUALS ARE WHIERE!

# GAYS ON CAMPUS

Our first meeting for 1986 will be on Wednesday 12 March in the music room, union building. This meeting is to welcome any new members and to discuss what we would like the group to do in 1986.

Please feel welcome to come along to our meetings as the group is a good opportunity to meet other gay people in an informal non-threatening surrounding.

Meetings are held in the music room each second Wednesday of the month.



(Especially on This Campus)

# RURAL STUDENTS FEDERATION

STUDENTS RESPOND TO THE FARM CRISIS



The message is slowly getting through to the cities of Australia that the farming industry is in crisis.

Recently, the director of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics predicted average farm income would fall below \$7000 in the next financial year, while farm debt has recently increased drastically. With interest rates in excess of 20% many farmers are not even managing to repay interest on their mortgaged farms, and those wishing to get out of agriculture are finding it impossible to sell their properties for a reasonable price.

As agriculture is a large export industry, for which many of the inputs (such as machinery) are imported, it is hit hard by both domestic protection of Australian industries providing farm inputs, and foreign protection of the agriculture industries in the countries we export to. Government policies aimed at supporting certain sections of the economy have continually had the side effect of hurting rurual industry.

In order to combat the fall in the value of our dollar, the government has embarked upon tight monetary policies, which have lead in turn to spiralling interest rates. These have hit farmers particularly hard, as has the government's determination to raise the price of oil: petrol for farm machinery is one of the biggest costs on Australian farms. Tariffs on harvesters, duties on fertilizer and monopoly shipping for some agricultural products are but a few examples of policies giving short-term life to uncompetitive com-- panies, while ensuring the long-term demise of Australia's most competitive (rural) industries.

The farmers' message at the rallies in Canberra and Melbourne last year are too simple to be forgotten. They want a fair go, because they know that if they are allowed to compete on equal terms with the rest of the world, they will prove winners – for Australia and for themselves.



Many students (both from the country and from Canberra) have recognised these fundamentals in setting up the Rural Students Federation at ANU. If you want to join in our active political and social calendar, come to our stall on Market Day, and to our first meeting for 1986, on Thursday 27th February at 1pm in Haydon-Allen G24.

For more information, please contact Bob Wheeldon on 479811.

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# The A.N.U. >>>>> Liberal Club

Don't miss the ANU Liberal Club's

first meeting for 1986, Wednesday

26th February, 6.30pm, on the

talk by Opposition Spokesman Wilson

Tuckey followed by an informal

get together over beer, wine and

program for the first part of the year,

and discussing those issues which are

concerning students at the moment.

All interested students are most

welcome to come along and

contribute. See you there!

The meeting will feature a short

We'll also be mapping out the

Bridge, ANU Union!

The ANU Liberal Club is not only the largest but also the most active of all the Clubs and Societies on campus.We're concerned primarily with those issues which most directly affect students - issues like the possible re-introduction of tertiary fees by the Federal Government, the rising cost of accommodation (particularly in the Halls and Colleges) and the increasing financial burden being placed on overseas students.

We're also very concerned about the great NSWEAN rip-off. The Students Association (SA) pays \$4000 of your money every year to a body (the New South Wales Education Action Network, or NSWEAN) which most students haven't even heard of, and which only a tiny minority benefit from. Talk about democracy, and scarce funds being spent where students need them most!

Worried?! Well, sitting in the library and thinking about it isn't going to change Neil McFarlane's mind. Getting involved will - joining our Club, turning up to Students Association meetings and voting in student elections can all make your voice count. Send a message to those in power - 'no.' to NSWEAN, 'yes' to accountable and democratic leadership on campus.

Unlike some of the other clubs, however, politics is not the be all and end all of our activities. Joining the Liberal Club is a great way to make new friends on campus outside the confines of lectures and departments, and to hear some top speakers.

We also get involved in some interesting campaigns - last year's effort to clean up Sullivan's Creek attracted M.P.'s, the media and over 200 people of all political persuasions to a public meeting on campus. 1986 promises this and much more - so get involved, and visit our stall on Market Day! If you do, you'll be able to meet Liberal M.P. Bruce Goodluck from 12.30pm.

# JOIN THE CLUB

THE ANU LIBERAL CLUB WHAT WE STAND FOR

We should pursue success and excellence in all fields of life

The Liberal Club at the ANU has a firm committment to five main principles. We believe that:

2. We must provide national security and promote family security in Australia.

at university and elsewhere.

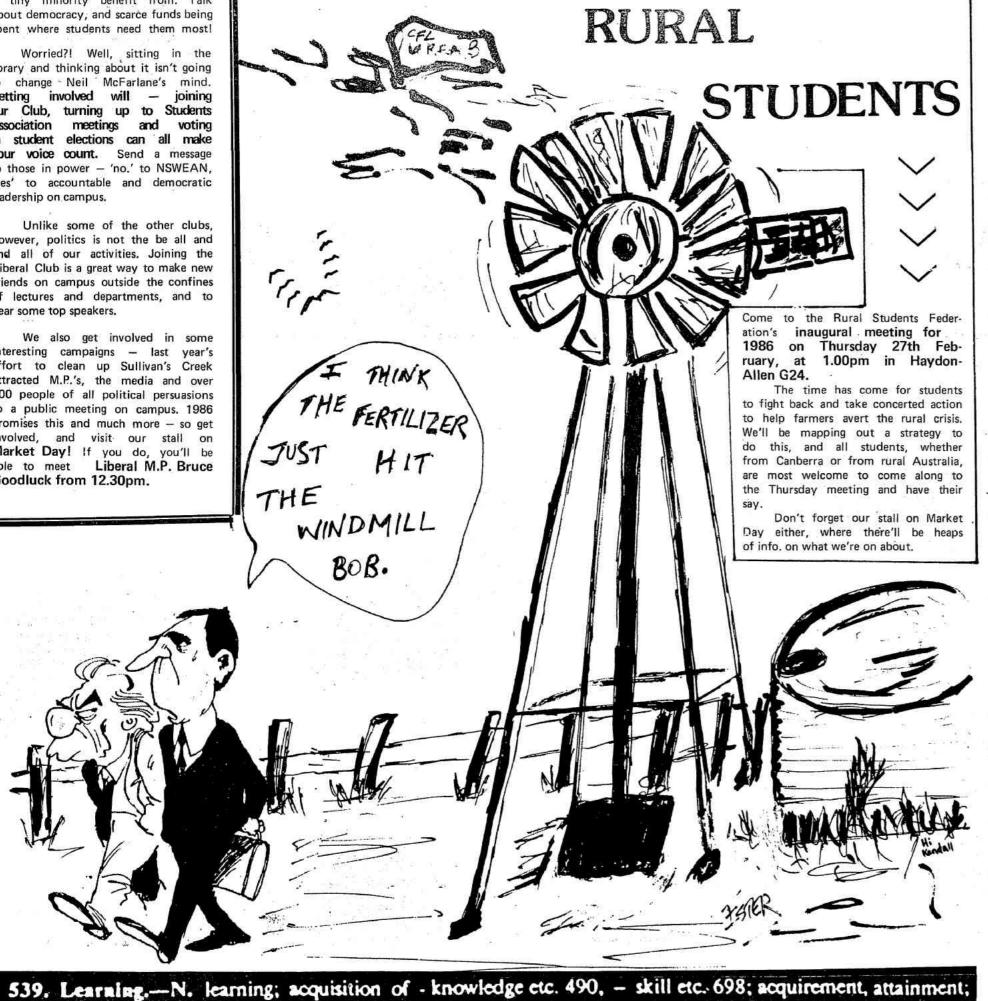
4. We should encourage enterprise, initiative and self reliance

5. We must show compassion to, and care for those in genuine need of help.

1. We should enhance individual

These principles are the common thread bonding all members of the Liberal Club. If these are your beliefs why not join the Club?

Contact: Peter Phelps at Ursula College, 489055.



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THE AUSTRALIAN DEMOCRAT STUDENT-CLUB

The Australian Democrat Student Club was formed at the beginning of 1984, was supported by Democrat members and non-members alike. One of the main goals of the club is to provide a voice for students who are concerned over student issues - issues such as affordable accommodation shortages, the low level of TEAS and the poor funding of university halls and colleges.

inform students of the work that the Workers Club, at 6pm Australian Democrats are undertaking the meeting at 7pm. federally and in the House of Assembly, Assembly, Gordon Walsh.

Club organised protest letters and stand candidates in the student elections press releases on the Tertiary Fees issue, a petition supporting the Nuclear-Free Policies of New Zealand and a talk by

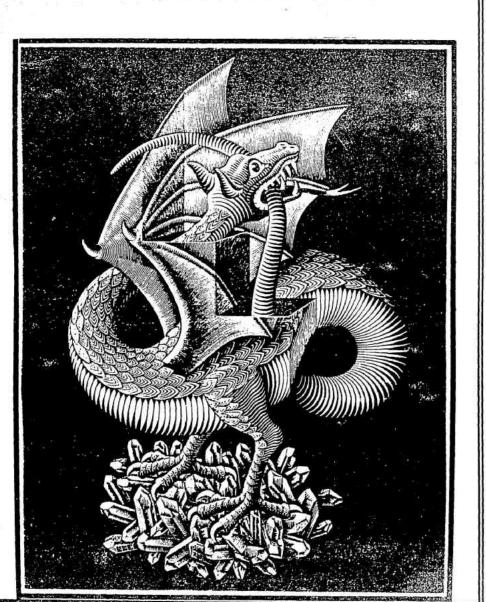
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Throughout this year, meetings will continue to be held every three weeks, and we hope to have just as many interesting speakers as last year. The Club will also be helping to organise several Public Meetings, in conjunction with Democrat parliamentarians this year. We are planning to have Senator Don Chipp, leader of the Democrats; Senator David Vigor, Territories spokesperson; Senator Mike Macklin, Education spokesperson; Senator Norm Sanders, Environment Spokesperson; and Senator Janine Haines, Women and Social Welfare spokesperson, to speak to and liase with ANU Students.

The group will maintain its close contact with the Australian Democrat Student Group at the CCAE with whom we hold some joint meetings and with the national Australian Democrat Student Organisation. The next joint meeting of the A.D. Clubs of the ANU and CCAE will be on the Another goal of the group is to 20th March 1986, at the Canberra

All students interested in and to act as a conduit to Australian becoming members or attending Democrat MP's for students at ANU. meetings are encouraged to come along In fact, one of our own club members on Market Day, during Orientation is a current member of the House of Week, to the A.D. Club Table where there will be more information on activities planned for the year. It is hoped this year that there will be In the first half of 1985, the sufficient interest for us to be able to both at the ANU and at the CCAE.

Any students interested in joining the Club or who are interested in being Senator Don Chipp. During the second on the Australian Democrat Student half of 1985, Senator Norm Sanders Group mail list (it is free and there is spoke to a large meeting about 'A no need to be a member of the Party), Nuclear-free and Indepedant Pacific, please leave your name, address and and we had many other interesting telephone number on 587411 speakers attend our smaller club (answering machine). Ideas for activities





# COLUMN OF THE SOCIALIST ACTION CLUB

GETTING AN EDUCATION.

Congratulations! You've managed to get through one of the most rigorous' sifting processes ever - HSC. But don't think that university will be any easier. We have assessment here too.

The education process is based on competitive and punitive assessment. It is supposed to sort out the most intelligent and to discipline the lazy. It fails people who do not fit into its mould - people who do not like exams, or who might not be quite as quick as their fellow students. To fail does not mean that you cannot understand, what is being taught. But the system has no time to cater for everyone. As long as enough engineers, scientists, lawyers, doctors, teachers, accountants, etc., are churned out to keep the system ' moving, who cares about the failures. Besides, there's not enough work for everyone anyway.

Education need not be like this. If there were more staff and facilities, the university could be opened to everyone. HSC need not be necessary. More courses could be offered. People could pursue their own line of interest at their own pace.

In 1974 campaign for diagnostic rather than competitive assessment was fought at ANU. It argued for alternative forms of assessment, optional assessment, student control of the curriculum and an end to grading and the concept of failure. The students occupied the Administration building twice in support of their demands. With the decline of the student movement over the past ten years, the gains of the early seventies have been turned around - into and persecuting militant unions, while heavier 'continuous assessment', loads of essays and assignments.

Not only will you have to work even have to pay for it. Overseas students paid \$2500 to study in 1985 and Senator Walsh made several attempts to extend - cussion group. Details at bookstore or fees to all students. It is ironical that the ALP, which abolished fees and introduced TEAS in 1974, could turn around and return education to the children of the rich. However, in managing capitalism the ALP try to keep government spending · down - that means cuts to education, health, public transport, etc. This means less places, less courses, more career streams like law and medicine and less general education like philosophy or politics, shorter library hours, less books, less TEAS and fees. Fees must be fought

-- via the student unions, but education under capitalism will remain a long way



WHO WE ARE

We are the ones your parents warned you against. We are socialists and revolutionaries. If it wasn't for our opposition to terrorism, Reagan would probably impose sanctions on us. By socialism we do not mean the totalitarianism of Russia or China, but 'a society organised from the bottom up to satisfy people's needs rather than to provide profits.

For more information about us, and a refreshing alternative to the daily press, read our magazine Socialist Action.

Coming Events: O-Week - Wed. 26 - come to our

stall at lunch-time on market day. .Thurs. 27 at 12pm - What Hawke Offers Us - and Them' Why is the Labor Government cutting real wages the bosses give it their support? Labor's record in improving profits is much better than on boosting education or hard for your education, but you might welfare funding. Haydon Allen Lecture Room G26.

7.30 - Our regular dis-



edification, scholarship, erudition; lore; information; self-instruction; study, reading, perusal, inquiry etc.

Congratulations on surviving International Youth Year. Or did you? With the numbers of attempts made to lower the living standards of young people last year, its surprising that most of us came through unscathed. This wasn't for lack of trying on the part of the Labor government, though.

It was very early in the year when finance minister Walsh announced that 'free university education is a highly regressive outlay. A marginal choice to maintain that regressive outlay and neglect the needs of poor children would be morally indefensible.' So students indirectly cause poverty. But Senator Walsh

didn't stop there, he went on to say that, 'continuing to provide free tertiary education won't improve the prospects of some poor infant getting into university if he or she suffers from brain damage because of malnutrition. Walsh then went on to try to explain this connection between tertiary fees and the causes of brain damage amongst young people when he said that tertiary fees should be introduced because, \*200 · 000 children are on the verge of malnutrition.'

Having failed to impose fees on all students, the Hawke government decided to attack the most vulnerable group, the overseas students.

# OVERSEAS STUDENTS

The Hawke government has made its plans for overseas students very clear, it plans to continually increase fees for overseas students until overseas students pay for the 'full cost' of their courses. In 1985 overseas student fees stood at \$2500, in 1986 this will reach \$3500, increasing to \$5000 in 1987, and so the process until 'full cost' is reached which is estimated to be about \$10 000.

And just to prove that they were serious, the government last year went as far as to deport some of those overseas students who couldn't pay their fees. What chance is there for students from poor countries in the Asia-Pacific region to gain an education?

It seems as though the government is trying to make us believe that Australia can't afford to keep on educating overseas students, yet at the same time we're supposed to understand how Australia can afford to keep on giving military aid to repressive dictatorships in countries in that region, countries such as the Philippines.

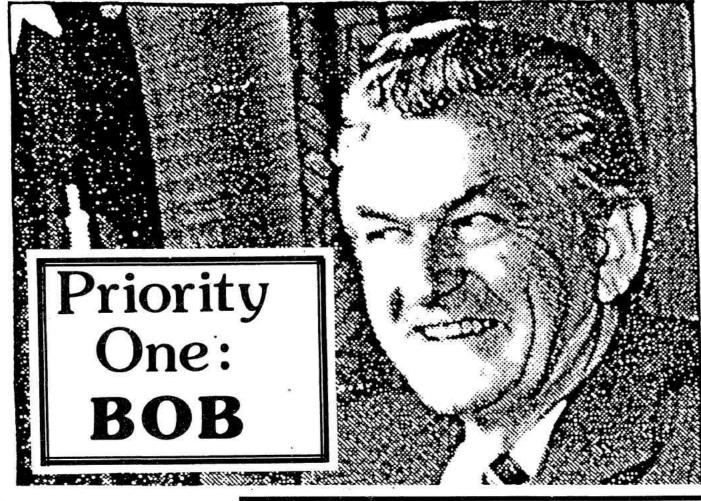
But plans for overseas students didn't stop there, there are plans in the making for the setting up of a private

university in W.A. The university would by owned by the Japanese 'Tokyu Corporation' and would be set up in a small town called Yanchep, just north of Perth. The plans are that fees to be charged at this university would be around \$16 000 to \$20 000 per year.

# YOUTH WAGES

Young workers were also on the receiving end of some grand ideas last year. For those who happened to be unemployed and between 18 and 20 years old, they had the surprise of having their dole being cut.

But not to fear, out came Hawke with this fantastic scheme to solve



youth unemployment, its called 'Priority One,' and what a big surprise thats going to be for young people

Under this scheme young people will be trained to learn highly skilled jobs such as sweeping floors and cleaning tables at McDonalds, and in return will receive a generous wage of \$90 per week. But that's not all, on top of this the companies participating in the scheme will receive a government subsidy. There's no prizes to anyone who guesses that this scheme turns out to be a convenient and effective way for big companies to pay young workers below award wages for one year.

# LABOR GOVERNMENT

So if you have any illusions that this Labor government would protect the interests of the majority of ordinary people, then by now these illusions should just about have disappeared. It's become quite obvious as to whose interests the Hawke Labor government protects - big business! Let's just take a brief look at the Labor government's achievements in 1985. Early on in 1985 the Labor government sat back and watched whilst Bjelke-Petersen went about sacking 1000 SEQEB workers, it's in the process of smashing the BLF (something the Fraser government started off), it's axing Tasmanian rainforests and will stand back and watch Daintree disappear, it increases trade with South Africa and continues military aid to bloody dictatorships around the world, it has backed down on Aboriginal land rights and the WA Labor government actually condones cop killings of Aboriginals. And so the list goes on, it never actually ends.

# FIGHT BACK

As for what else is in store for 1986 remains to be seen, but one thing's for sure - things won't be getting much better. But the experience of living under this Hawke Labor government over the past few years hasn't been a complete loss. One thing that we have learnt is that we can't leave this government alone to get things done, we have to organise ourselves to protect our interests and defend our rights and the rights of other groups.

from ANU Resistance Club

# EDUCATING

it as more than just militarism and warfare, though these are certainly needs to be challenged in all its forms the power and privilege of elites, and privilege so on. The causes of this violence need to be outlined and fought against, and the possibilities of a better future SPG has been active at university

several years. Our main activities have been SELF-EDUCATION (discussions, learning from one another and enjoying ourselves), CONSCIOUS-NESS RAISING (through articles, leaflets, film-screenings and radioprograms) and PROTEST (participating in and initiating demonstrations). SPG has made decisions on the basis of decision-making: let's get used to the lingo right away')

Involvement in SPG isn't just another 'extra-curricular activity' outside of our studies and unconnected with

People in the Student Peace between our actions against violence Group (SPG) are worried about violence and our studies at university. Sexism, in Australia and around the world. We for example, the entrenched power of take a broad view of violence and see men over women, is strong in this society, at university and in our courses. Acting against this violent institution dangerous manifestations. Violence can be a focus of our activities. exists at many levels of our lives and Another example is that students at university tend to be from ecological destruction, rape, poverty, privileged social backgrounds. This injustices and conflict. We need to join in campaigns for free access to educational resources and equal opportunity for all, regardless of social background. Education funding is under attack by a government with a huge 'defense' budget and a role in the US world nuclear strategy ... don't its priorities make you angry?

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Some students and academics are interested in introducing a course in peace studies to look at wars and their causes, peaceful societies, how to move towards one, and so on. everyone's agreement (consensus Are you interested in helping in the campaign for this? There are many things to do, and a number of up-and-coming events: join in!

Keep an eye out for an SPG stall on Market Day of Orientation



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# DEBBIE

NIGEL ROBERTS

Indifferer (1973)

We stroll along to the library one morning, listlessly, in twos and threes,
Casually smoking and chatting,
Perhaps you are wheeling a bicycle.
Beside us are the willow-trees,
And a man is hanging in the branches.
We can see his white face, and the dusty tips of his

toes.
I walk aside, and peer into the thick green danglers.
There he is, hanging up spreadeagled, nailed neatly onto the branches.
Blood drips from the hands, the eyes are glassy, the flies have already found him.
A green branch is looped over his shoulder.

A green branch is looped over his shoulder.
He looks quite quaint there, like a pleasant decoration.
I rejoin my friends, and throw away my little butt.
We reach the library at about 9.30.



Homesick

On return
I turned the hose on my garden and returned it to life.

I pulled every weed by hand, my nails still harbouring grains of forest soil.

Back there, the world is a garden and our clearing requires constant vigilance to maintain the dominance of weeds —

the right ones.
Here I push the plants
with all the town water at my disposal.
I want creepers to blur
all the hard edges,
bushes to obliterate the palings,
trees to rival the poles.

Back there, the body wields axe, carries water. Here I turn knobs and press buttons. In our separate yards, neighbours side by side ignore each other.

To get milk,
I put out a bottle.
There,
it was through
the bush to the river,
Crossing on the log jams,
a challenge to balance.
Through the grass, up the hill,
to the calf and cow,
waiting separately,
for reunion —
after my plunder.
The mountains around:
familiars, friends.

Here,
the shape of the Monaro
is distorted with rectangles.
On every near hill,
an obstruction, blinking by night.
Cars, like processions of ants
come and go,
as though it was always thus.
I am relieved to see
the Brindabellas, old bones,
stand by, regardless.

Note / to a friend / on a commune

well i guess / that by now you're doing yr own thing

brown rice dictatorship advanced rationalising / & alternate fascism.

did you receive / those
copies of
Cosmic Silkscreening
Biscuit Weaving / & Computors
On the Dole
that you ordered / from
The Whole Earth Catalogue?



P.S.
This is the
Age of Aquariums
— you had
better

Aberrant poetics 4 - for Mark O'Connor

so what nat it looks \_i cut up prose

find fault
with thistle
because it is not

CHRIS SHEPHERD

Brahman Utopia

Bursting forth from nothing We know it not, the word to say all this

coming closer with the drug
but forgetting the derivations, the structure
of the thought —
only the feeling (it was known!) remains
Staring at the monster
learning to live with it.

Living at Toad Hall

I am walking home from pleasure at the BAR

I soften to the sound of ducks and look distant to the road that carries things Perhaps there is a truck that carries Bread or eggs.

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Myth and Money

Have you seen Excalibur?

Someone's made a movie And I don't own the rights.

Said King Arthur to his knights,

**ANONYMOUS** 

Various Short Waves

Rapid shave, Stands sullen; resentful a rapid rat trapped in the sewer of consumerism watchful, wistful This could be me!

> No one at home except backgammon and me, backgammon is the best game when you're stoned And alone. No one home.

A screach of tyres, gnash of brakes The thoughts my lover could not take The Private Bin I saw her there

Thank Christ I didn't cut my hair-

The Melbourne Cup, for all to see Ken was Simon's casualty Live and let die, a bet was paid Will there be a boat chase, pray? Some said aye while Ken said naye. Live and let die, a bet was laid A bet was lost, a debt was paid

About My Friends

Any resemblance between a person And a character, living or dead Is purely coincidental.

# DAVID CAMPBELL

from The Collins Book of Australian Poetry

### The Australian Dream

The doorbell buzzed, It was past three o'clock. The steeple-of-Saint-Andrew's weathercock Cried silently to darkness, and my head Was bronze with claret as I rolled from bed To ricochet from furniture. Light! Light Blinded the stairs, the hatstand sprang upright I fumbled with the lock, and on the porch Stood the Royal Family with a wavering torch.

We hope,' the Queen said, 'we do not intrude. The pubs were full, most of our subjects rude, We came before our time. It seems the Queen's Command brings only, "Tell the dead marines!" We've come to you. I must admit I'd half Expected just this visit. With a laugh That put them at their ease, I bowed my head. 'Your Majesty is most welcome here,' I said. 'My home is yours. There is a little bed Downstairs, a boiler-room, might suit the Duke.' He thanked me gravely for it and he took Himself off with a wave. 'Then the Queen Mother?'-She'd best bed down with you. There is no other But my wide bed. I'll curl up in a chair.' The Queen looked thoughtful, She brushed out her hair And folded up The Garter' on a pouf. 'Distress was the first commoner, and as proof That queens bow to the times,' she said, 'we three' Shall share the double bed, Please follow me."

I waited for the ladies to undress -A sense of fitness, even in distress, Is always with me. They had tucked away Their state robes in the lowboy; gold crowns lay Upon the bedside tables; ropes of pearls Lasooed the plastic lampshade; their soft curls Were spread out on the pillows and they smiled. 'Hop in,' said the Queen Mother, In I piled Between them to lie like a stick of wood. I couldn't find a thing to say. My blood Beat, but like rollers at the ebb of tide. 'I hope your Majesties sleep well, 'I lied. A hand touched mine and the Queen said, 'I am Most grateful to you, Jock. Please call me Ma'am.'

# MICHAEL DRANSFIELD

Drug Poems

in the bluejean days when acid was still legal we used to sell shit for fourteen an oz & everything was cool & the DS only had

now its thirty when you can get it & the squad has thirty-two cops only we call them pigs now & the heavies are getting all the smokers busted so they can lay smack on everyone

the perfect merchandise

customers for life

we know this cat lives in Mombasa where good shit's dollar a kilo

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# Students Say: 'The Two Airline

Students Against Regulated Airways (S.A.R.A.), the newest activist organisation on campus, plans to lead ANU students in the fight against Australia's unjust and oppressive 2-airline system.

With Ansett and TAA currently allowed a monopoly over the domestic air market, airline tickets are offered at exorbitant prices, at inconvenient times, to limited destinations, in order to pay for the huge sala ries of airline pilots and executives. These prices rip off those students who can afford to fly, and exclude the many students who simply can't afford to, because of their limited incomes.

Since 1978, the US has deregulated its airways and the results have been miraculous. Airfares are often four to five times cheaper than comparable rates in Australia, as the poor and disadvantaged of American society (including students), cram the airport lounges or more than 100 airlines. People Express, the workers' airline, pays pilots only half of what they get elsewhere, and forces them to work alongside other employees for much of the week. Employees, by being required to buy shares in the firm, feel it to be their firm - the company is more like a commune than a business, and the cheap fares reflect this. Only \$99, for example, for a one-way trip from Los Angeles to Belgium! To cap all this, more people died from air disasters in the five years prior to deregulation than in the five years since.

The US model has shown Australians that there is no reason why in today's age, flying should not be a common mode of travel for us all. Cheap, efficient air travel is a possithe selfish interests of a few. So, if you think the two-airline policy is unwise, un-Australian and unfair, come and check out the SARA stall on Market Day, and keep a watch out for a demonstration planned soon for Canberra airport. We'll also be having our inaugural meeting in O-Week, on Friday 28 February, at 1pm, in the Union Board Room (upstairs in the Union).

For any information, contact SARA organiser Mick Roff on 862651.

Don't feel left out — come along to the INAUGURAL MEETING of STUDENTS AGAINST REG—ULATED AIRWAYS (SARA). on FRIDAY 28TH February in the UNION BOARD ROOM, at 1PM, AND HELP US LEAD THE FIGHT AGAINST THE 2 AIR—LINE POLICY.

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If you think you're being ripped off, then SARA can do something about it. THE MEETING WILL BE OPEN TO INPUT FROM ALL CONCERNED STUDENTS' and will act as a prelude to the demonstration being planned for Canberra Airport.

YOU CAN ALSO MEET US AT OUR MARKET DAY STALL ON THE WEDNESDAY OF O-WEEK.

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# TWO AIRLINE AUSTRALIAN MARKET

Sydney ← → Melbourne \$147.80 Perth \$383.40

*Sydney* ↔ *Canberra* \$83.10

# 100 AIRLINE U.S.A. MARKET

Sanfrancisco ← \$198 → Brussels

Sanfrancisco ← New York \$130

Washington ← Boston \$38.

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A weekend conference entitled 'Unfinished Business: Exploring Issues of Christianity, Sexuality and Politics' is being held by the Student Christian Movement on the weekend 14-16 March at Caloola Farm, south of Canberra. The cost will be \$35 for wage earners and \$25 for students. Speakers include:

John Langmore (Federal Member for Fraser)

Mandy Tibbey (Church Worker in the Philippines)

Robert Barnes (Lecturer in Religious Studies) If you are interested, contact

Ruth Cully (tel. 88-0137) or John (tel.95-8622) after working Goss

What is the Student Christian Movement (SCM) and what are SCM

SCM is a national ecumenical movement. Traditionally SCM has a particular concern discerning the implications of the Christian gospel for contemporary political and social action. In recent years, this has led SCM to consider and act on issues such as:

-justice for the third world. -women in church and society. -spirituality and social change. -revitalising worships.

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\*How to decide what to do - goals, priorities and plans.

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\*dealing with anxiety and speaking with confidence.

\*ending on an upbeat.

No prior enrolment is necessary.

# THE ANU EVANGELICAL UNION

The EU is a group of students who know Jesus Christ personally as their God and Saviour.

We have a doctrinal basis upholding the fundamental truths of Christianity. Our main aim is to present the great news of eternal life through Jesus Christ to students on campus that they too might have a personal relationship with him.

We hold our main meetings every Thursday lunchtime at 1.00pm in room G-24 of the Haydon-Allen building (along the corridor from the double doors into the Union Building). At these meetings we get outside speakers to teach us God's truth as contained in the bible! Small groups meet at different times during the week to study the Bible and pray. We also hold various social activities, including houseparties and meetings with other Christian people.

If you have any questions pleast contact: Peter Christensen 814533 Ross Rowe 374892

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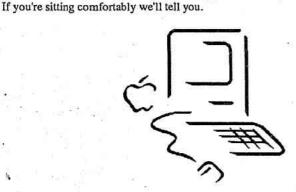
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Fri. 9.30-9.00 Sat. 9.30-4.00

Coffee house open 'til late Fri. night.

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